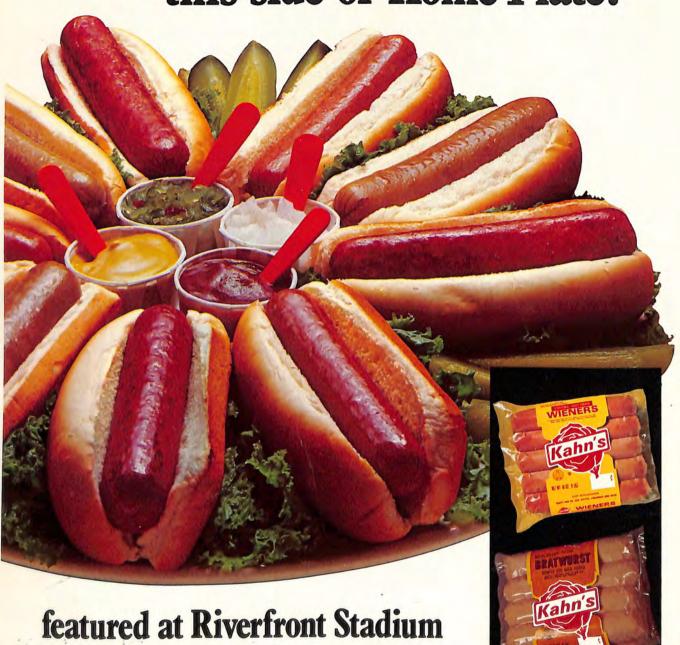




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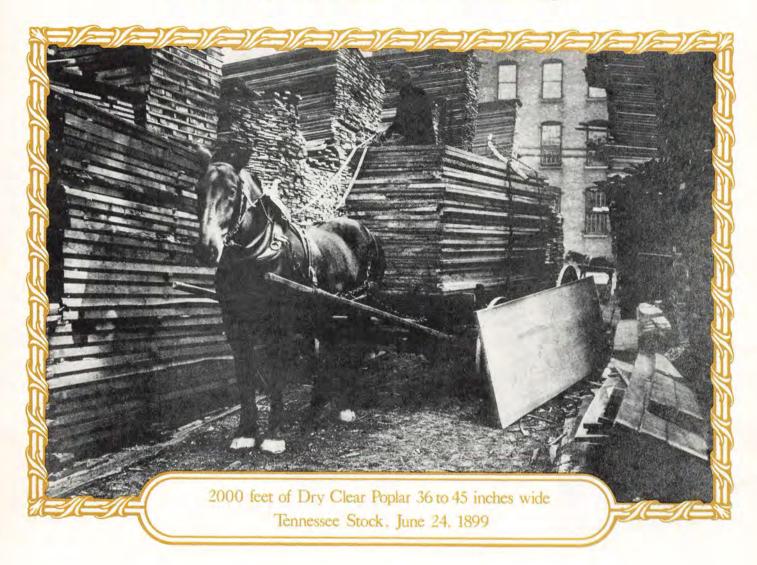
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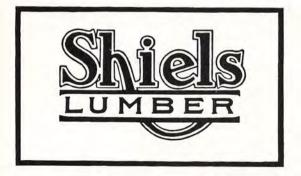
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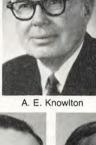
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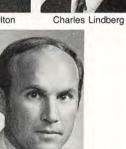


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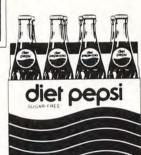


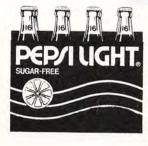
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McNamara's philosophy: deal with others with your heart

By Phil Collier

The new manager of the Cincinnati Reds has a plaque that will adorn the wall of his office at Riverfront Stadium. It reads:

"When you deal with yourself, use your head.

"When you deal with others, use your heart."

That philosophy tells a lot about John McNamara, the 46-year-old Californian who has gathered a legion of admirers in his 28 seasons as a player, coach and manager.

"Any player with an ounce of decency in him will play his heart out for John," says former National League third baseman Doug Rader, who played for McNamara in San Diego in 1976-77. "Leo Durocher said nice guys finish last, but Johnny Mac is proof that that isn't true."

"He has a genuine concern for people."

"I think John will do extremely well in Cincinnati," says Gene Tenace, the veteran Padre catcher who played for McNamara in both Oakland and San Diego. "He's one of the nicest guys I ever met, but he also knows how to handle players, young and old. He can draw the line when the time comes.

"He has a great head on his shoulders and a tremendous personality."

The new Cincinnati manager also has a sense of humor.

San Diego right-hander Rollie Fingers, the National League's "fireman of the year" the last two seasons, recalls a conversation with McNamara when John managed him at Birmingham in 1967.

Fingers was pitching for the first time since being hit in the head by a line drive



and he walked the bases loaded before Mc-Namara came to the mound.

The pitcher had to convince McNamara that he wasn't afraid to throw the ball over the plate.

"All right, I'll leave you in," McNamara said, breaking into a grin, "but if I have to

come back out here again, I'm going to kick your butt."

Fingers relaxed, got out of the jam and proceeded to become baseball's most successful relief pitcher.

McNamara is noted as a psychologist. In 1974, during the first of his four spring trainings with San Diego, McNamara had reason to discipline Padre newcomer Bobby Tolan. The former Cincinnati outfielder had loafed on the base paths during an early exhibition game and the Padres lost by one run.

"Do you want me to bring this up in our next (clubhouse) meeting, or would you rather do it yourself?" McNamara inquired of Tolan

The next morning, Tolan apologized to the rest of the team for his misdeed and fined himself three cases of beer.

It was the first in a long series of incidents that improved morale and helped develop pride in a San Diego organization that had never escaped last place until 1975, McNamara's second year at the helm.

Spring training can be a bore, at times, and McNamara took note of that fact in 1976 when the Padres were going through rehearsals in Yuma, Ariz.

Gathering his squad in the outfield for a meeting one morning, McNamara borrowed coach Donnie Williams' stopwatch and began a long oration.

He talked for several long minutes, about the dullest things he could think of, before Rader, the veteran infielder, leaped to his feet.

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Japan Reds Country

The Cincinnati Reds were the first American team to tour Japan in four years. Si Burick, sports editor of the Dayton Daily News, went along. Here are his observations . . .

By Si Burick

F or many reasons, the Reds' fall trip to Japan for a post-season, 17-game baseball series was an experience of lasting memories for all concerned.

But what made it particularly memorable for the players, management and the Japanese hosts was the fact that the athletes, many of whom are in the "superstar" category, actually had, to use the vernacular, 'come to play.'

The tone was set by the stars — Johnny Bench, Pete Rose, Tom Seaver, George Foster, Ken Griffey, Dan Driessen - and the younger fellows followed the leaders. Sure, it was a fun trip. Sure, this was a case where winning was not everything, or, as the late, great Vince Lombardi expressed it, the ONLY thing. What difference would it make to posterity, or, to be practical about it, their future salaries, if the Reds lost more often than they won in Japan?

One night, late on the trip, a few of us were guests at dinner of a trio of highranking executives of Yomiuri Shimbun, the Tokyo newspaper, which owns the Yomiuri Giants and sponsored this journey. The paper, by the way, is the largest-circulating daily in the world - with more than 8 million readers.

Now the exotic meal was over and the nine of us - two newspaper men and their wives, a Japanese couple from Honolulu, and the hosts - sat around the sumptuous table and made small talk.

The quiet man, the top executive, spoke up as the conversation shifted from the Japanese economy, the value of the dollar against the yen, the friendship between the Japanese and the American people since the end of World War II, to our reason for being there. And that, of course, was baseball.

It would be nice, the gentleman said in rather halting English, which I shall make no attempt to imitate, if our teams would win a few more games before the Cincinnati Reds leave Japan. But this is precisely why

we love your team. We do not want you to give us anything. If we lose, we want to lose to your best effort.

"We are impressed," he said, "because the Reds are playing SO SINCERE."

To us, this was praise in its highest form. The gentleman had epitomized what sports competition is all about. No matter what, as the cliche goes, you give it your best shot.

As things turned out, the Reds never let

After the first five games against the Yomiuri Giants, or the Giants in combination with one other team, or a team of All-Stars from the Japanese majors, the series stood 2-2-1. After that, the Reds never lost again, finishing the trip, 14-2-1. They continued to play "sincere."

Activities were not confined to Tokyo. The Reds played to huge crowds all over the country in cities like Yokohama, Hiroshima, Sapporo, Osaka, Nagoya, Fukuoko, Toyama, Kyoto, etc.

The team traveled by air, by bus, by the famed Japanese "bullet trains." Always, the Reds impressed and were impressed. No player refused to give his autograph. Crowds were large and enthusiastic. The Reds were watched by approximately 550,000 fans. Crowds were enthusiastic and friendly. In some places, pretty young ladies, wearing ancient native costume, came out to greet our home run hitters with bouquets of beautiful flowers.

Often, what happened before a game was almost as interesting as the contest itself. Bench, Rose and Seaver, as well as others, gave impromptu clinics on batting and pitching. Although Sadaharu Oh, the greatest slugger of all time, with 805 home runs to his credit in Japanese major league baseball, spoke no English, he was usually on hand with an interpreter. Despite his renown, the Giants' first baseman often asked questions, and got answers.

Make no mistake about it. Everyone

agreed that Oh would have made it in our majors. He hits for average as well as with power. And he hits where the ball is pitched, often belting an outside delivery into left field, or left center, as well as pulling the ball, when he was going for distance on an inside pitch.

No, he wouldn't have hit more than 800 homers on this side. Japanese fences are much closer to home plate than ours in most parks. But Oh would have hit his share.

Incidentally, he is a Mel Ott-style batsman, although he maintains he never saw or knew anything about the late, great New York Giants' slugger. Like Ott, who stood only 5-9 and weighed 170, yet hit 511 career homers, Oh bats from the left side. Like Ott, as the pitch approaches him, Oh lifts his right foot high as he strides forward, then quickly plants it on the ground before he swings and makes contact. Oh is a much sturdier man in build than Ott was.

One day, during a game, Johnny Bench drew a laugh from the enthusiastic crowd, but especially from Sadaharu Oh, by mimicking his style - from the right side, of course. Raising his left foot, Johnny barely made contact. Next time up, he reverted to his normal stance and knocked the ball out of the park - one of his nine home runs on the trip. Johnny was hot, leading in RBI with 16, closely followed by Foster with 15. Champ Summers, making every effort to become a regular in 1979 after winning Minor League Player of the Year honors at Indianapolis, swung the hottest bat with a .370 average. Pete Rose set a postseason Japanese record by hitting safely in 16 straight games; all but the last one.

Two young pitchers gave indications that they might be able to fill some gaps on the Cincinnati staff. Young Mike LaCoss finished 4-0 with an astonishing 0.82 earned-run average. Tom Hume was 5-0 with a 2.68 ERA. Ron Oester's throwing

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The Reds and Japanese All-Stars play at Yokohama



Sadaharu Oh is set to swing, displaying his unusual batting stance



Doug Bair visits Hiroshima Memorial



Ball girls are a part of the baseball scene in Japan



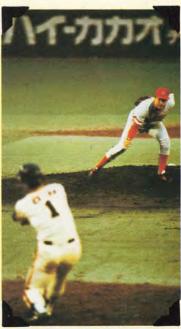
Two of the great power hitters of alltime . . . George Foster and Sadaharu Oh



Reds President Dick Wagner receives gift in pre-game ceremonies



Famed Mt. Fuji rises in the background, an impressive sight to the American visitors



Tom Seaver pitches home run slugger Sadaharu Oh

Johnny con toward catching,

ay the best of the past be the worst of the future." Those were the words of catcher Johnny Bench last winter as he looked forward to the 1979 baseball season. The 31-year-old backstop overcame a painful back problem and enjoyed a strong second half as he continued to roll on toward some impressive career records. He made it 11 consecutive years of catching at least 100 games and also became only the second catcher in baseball history to belt 300 career home runs. It gets tougher to catch 100 games a year," Johnny noted. "Nothing I can think of is more physically demanding than catching

day after day." One of the big goals in Johnny's career is to reach 13 consecutive 100-game seasons behind the plate to equal the major league mark which is held by Bill Dickey. It didn't look like Bench would make the century mark in 1978 because of his back problem. He didn't get in a game behind the plate from May 27 through June 30 because of the physical difficulties. But despite those problems, Bench was still voted to the All-Star team as a starter. He declined to play, though, because of his back problems. "That was one of the most difficult things I've had to do," Bench explained when



tinues to roll batting records

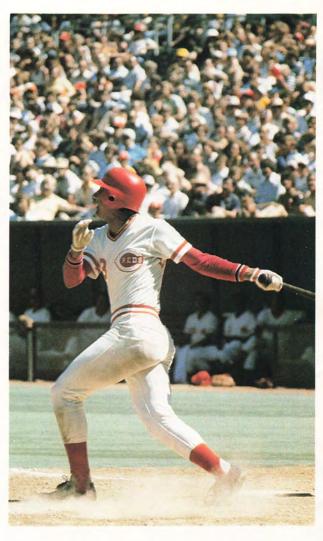
he asked to be removed from the NL star squad. Bench became only the 41st player in baseball history to reach the 300 home run mark. No. 300 for Bench came off Nino Espinosa in New York on July 26. The only other backstop with 300 was Yogi Berra. Johnny knocked in 73 runs in 1978, running his career total to 1,111 which ranks him fourth among catchers all-time. He could pass Gabby Hartnett (1,179) and Dickey (1,209) in 1979 to move into second place behind Berra. Bench is one of only eight active players with at least 1,000 career ribbies. Bench's final home run of the 1978 campaign, his

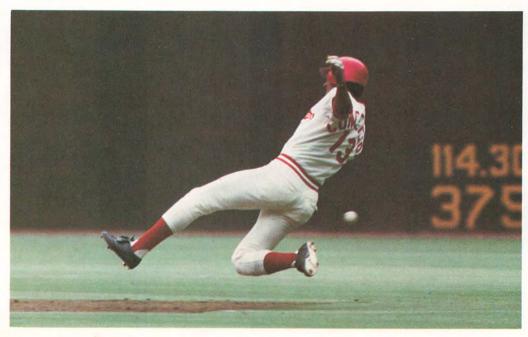
23rd of the season, was his ninth grand slam, extending his own club mark. He has hit two or more home runs in a game 15 times in his career, including two three-homer contests. As the 1979 season started, Bench had appeared in exactly 1,500 games behind the plate, leaving him only 418 away from the all-time record held by Hall of Famer Al Lopez. Bench maintained a career fielding percentage of .991, which is less than one point off Johnny Edwards' National League fielding record. Johnny and teammate George Foster are the only active players to own three RBI titles.



No. 13 Concepcion —







Dave best among new class of shortstops

Dave Concepcion has become the first Cincinnati shortstop in 65 years to bat .300 and he has matured into baseball's best at his position.

R emember the days when shortstops usually could be found in the eighth place in the batting order? Or when they usually didn't make the Sunday paper's list of averages because there wasn't enough space? Forget that now. Dave Concepcion is a prime and gleaming example of the new type of shortstop now found in the game of baseball. These days, they not only have to be top fielders, but they must also carry a potent stick as well. And that Concepcion has done as he has matured into the game's best shortstop. The 1978 season saw the Venezuelan veteran take on added luster, adding the one thing that had been eluding him the past few years - a .300 batting average. But when Dave finished his best year with a .301 average, he became the first Cincinnati shortstop in 65 years to bat that high. Not since Hall of Famer Joe Tinker hit .317 in 1913 had a Cincy shortstop hit at least .300. It was a strong showing against the pitching-strong San Francisco Giants that enabled Concepcion to crack the barrier. His average had fallen to .292 in mid-September and the hopes of his first .300 year seemed to be evaporating. Facing Vida Blue, John Montefusco and Bob Knepper, Dave went

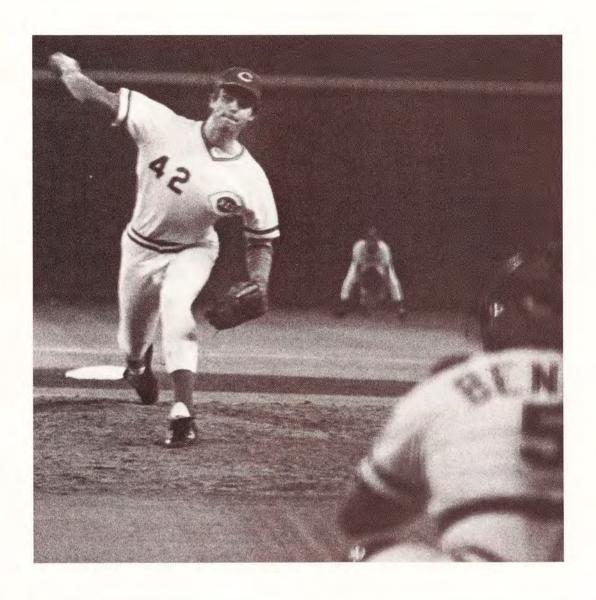
on a rampage. He went to the plate 12 times, collected eight hits and boosted his average back over the .300 mark. He held it there the remainder of the year and wound up the 10th leading hitter in the National League and the top hitting shortstop in the major leagues. For a guy who hit .205 and .209 in back-toback years (1971-72), he has come a long way. The lowest batting average Dave has turned in since 1973 has been .271 in 1977. Along the way to his banner year, Concepcion collected his 1,000th career base hit. Concepcion is an all-around standout performer. He's a brilliant fielder, winning the Gold Glove for defensive supremacy four out of the past five years. He's also a top-notch base stealer. He swiped 23 in 1978, running his career total to 201, fourth best total in Reds history. Concepcion has had at least 20 steals in each of the last six years. Pee Wee Reese, one of baseball's greatest shortstops summed up Concepcion the best. Said Reese: "Mark Belanger may be a little smoother. Larry Bowa is very quick. Rick Burleson is a leader type. Bill Russell has an accurate arm. But no one does everything as well as Concepcion. It's possible that no one ever has."

Bill looks forward to bright future

A sound Bill Bonham demonstrated that he ranks among top pitchers in the National League.

B ill Bonham was well on his way to a spectacular season in 1978 when he was bothered by elbow problems that eventually led to surgery. Twice the big righthander was idled for lengthy periods because of the elbow problem, but following surgery in late September Bill is optimistic about the future. "I'm confident that once the elbow has fully mended I'll be 100 per cent better than I was last year." Loose bodies and bone spurs were removed during the operation. Bill spent last winter, after the surgery, running and playing catch at his home in Solvang, Cal. He tossed frequently with Brian Asselstine, the young Atlanta outfielder who was also recovering from an injury, a broken ankle suffered against the Reds. Although Bonham couldn't pitch, Bill went to Japan with the Reds and kept himself in shape running. "Sometimes we'd run three to four miles a day," Bonham said, referring to himself and team trainer Larry Starr. "If we felt extra peppy we'd run eight to nine miles." Bill

got off to a quick start in his first season with Cincinnati, winning three times in the first 12 days of the season, but it was during that third win at Dodger Stadium that Bill's elbow problem began. He missed 24 days, and then returned in spectacular fashion, combining with relief pitchers for two straight shutouts. By the All-Star break Bill had surged to a 9-2 record. The elbow ailment returned, however, and Bill battled it the remainder of the year, finally undergoing surgery on Sept. 27. As it was, Bonham was 11-5 with a 3.54 ERA. The 30-year-old Californian is acknowledged to own one of the best change of paces in baseball. It was self taught, developed while he was with the Cubs, pitching half his games in cozy Wrigley Field. "Your arm comes through at 90 miles an hour," Bonham said, explaining how he hurls the pitch. "But it's like throwing a feather." A graduate of UCLA, Bill came to the Reds after the 1977 season.



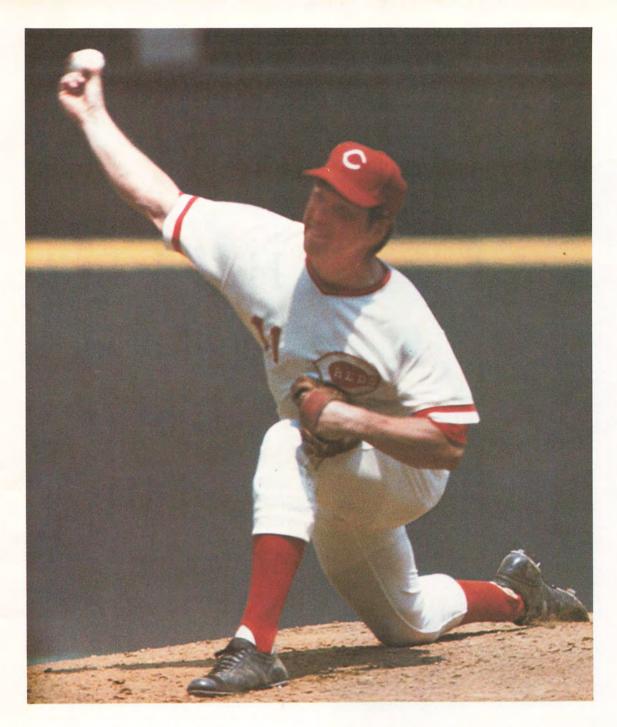


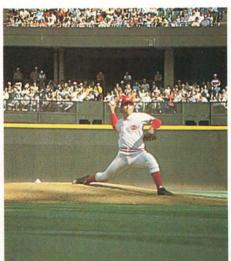


Tom moving up on all-time strikeout ladder

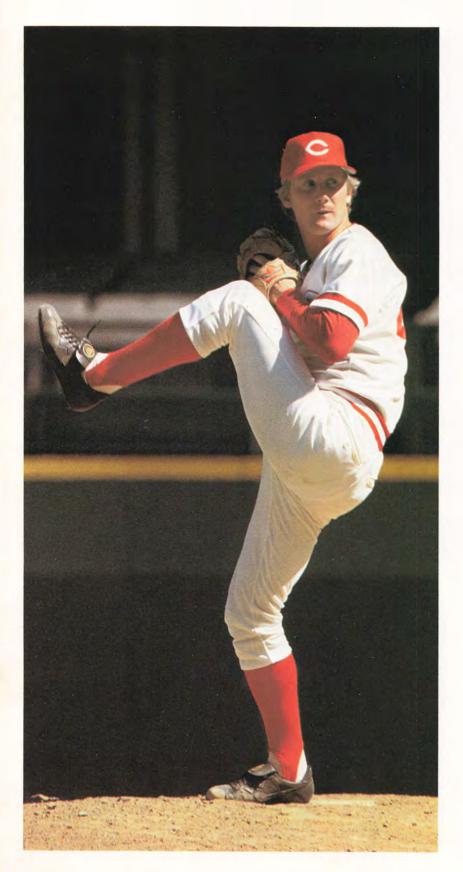
When you think of power pitchers in baseball, the prime example of this current era is Tom Seaver, who has accomplished nearly every pitching feat possible in his illustrious career. For example, look at his strikeout total. Fanning 226 men last year, Tom surged ahead on the all-time list into seventh place with 2,756. In 10 of his last 11 years he has struck out at least 200 men, and another of those seasons in 1979 will put him into fourth place and into position to challenge Bob Gibson in 1980 for the all-time National League strikeout record, 3,117. Six times last year he struck out at least 10 batters in a game, running his career total to 67 in that department. One thing that had been eluding the 34-year-old Californian had been a no-hitter, but he struck down that jinx in 1978. His first no-hitter after five one-hitters and several other near misses came June 16 at Riverfront Stadium against the St. Louis Cardinals. It was the first time a Cincinnati pitcher had fired a no-hitter at Riverfront and it was the first by a Reds' pitcher anywhere since April 30, 1969 when Jim Maloney mastered the Astros. For the fourth straight year Sea-

ver held his earned run average under three runs per game, 2.87. His career ERA is 2.51 in 3,239 innings, the second best lifetime earned run average in baseball history among pitchers who have worked at least 3,000 innings. Tom won 16 games, running his lifetime total to 219 wins, compared to only 117 losses. Had the Reds produced a few more runs for Seaver. he might have won 20 games for a sixth time. After the All-Star game, for instance, he won seven and lost seven, but his earned run average was a nifty 2.42. In 15 of his 36 starts in 1978 the Reds put two or less runs on the scoreboard. And Tom was just off a fraction to keep him from winning those low-scoring games. "For me, pitching is a matter of constantly monitoring my mechanics," Seaver said, "and I've just been a fraction off." Tom's no-hitter in 1978 was his 47th career shutout. He trails only Don Sutton and Jim Palmer among active pitchers in career whitewashes. He has won the Cy Young Award three times, capturing pitching's top honor in 1969, 1973 and 1975. He would like to become the only pitcher to win it four times in 1979.



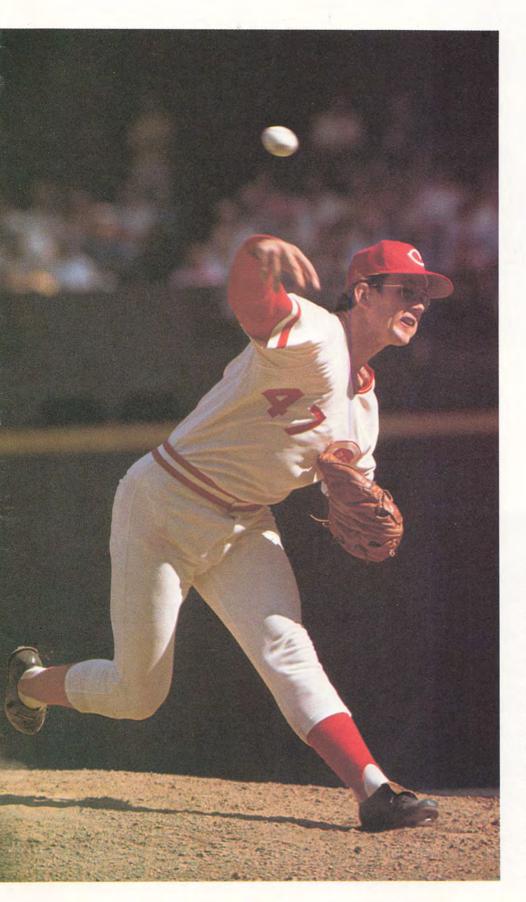






How do Reds spell relief? D-o-u-g B-a-i-r

When Doug Bair joined the Cincinnati Reds in March of 1978, he was an unknown. But it didn't take long for Reds fans to realize who he was. No, not Superman, disguised as Clark Kent, just one of the best relief pitchers in baseball. Simply look at the facts. He worked in 70 games, posted an earned run average of 1.98 and logged 28 saves. Among National League pitchers who worked at least 100 innings, Bair had the lowest ERA. "I can pitch every day," the hardthrowing righthander said. "All I do to loosen up before a game is make some long throws in the outfield during batting practice to get the moths out, then I'm ready." Bair's philosophy is simple. "It may sound like a contradiction. You have to throw strikes but you don't want them to be strikes." In other words, Doug's idea is to keep his pitches on the corner, or just off. Bair got off to a sensational start in his new uniform. He didn't allow a run in his first 12 relief appearances, blanking the opposition in 19.2 consecutive innings. He was consistent all season long. He allowed only 22 earned runs and 10 of them came in only three appearances. In the 70 games he pitched, the Reds won 50. A native of Defiance, Ohio, Bair originally signed with Pittsburgh after he graduated from Bowling Green University. He pitched six years in the Pirates organization - four at Class AAA Charleston - before his contract was traded to Oakland prior to the 1977 season. He split the '77 campaign between San Jose and the A's and then came to the Reds during spring training last year.



Future looks bright for Tom

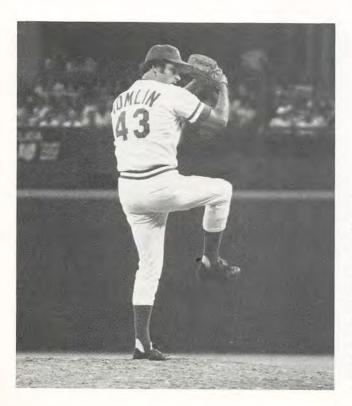
R ighthander Tom Hume hopes that his second half performance and five straight victories on the Japanese trip are omens of many good things to come. The 26-year-old Cincinnati native was one of the Reds most effective hurlers during the second half of the 1978 campaign. During the final two months, Tom posted a 4-1 record in 21 games and blistered the opposition with an earned run average of 2.08. In one stretch in mid-August, Hume retired 24 out of 28 batters he faced in four games, this coming when he worked in relief. The bullpen work paid off, because in September he won three starts, including a pair of complete game victories. Then on the Japan trip, Tom went to the post five times and captured five victories. Hume is in his second full season with the Reds. He divided the 1977 season between the Reds and Indianapolis and then spent all of last year with the Reds, appearing in 42 games. He was 8-11 with a 4.14 ERA. Twenty-three of his appearances were as a starter.



Manny's year in two parts

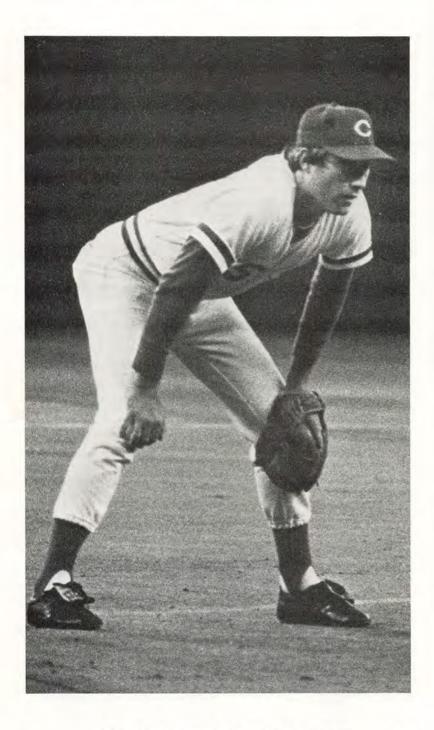
M anny Sarmiento can look back and realize that his 1978 performance was divided into two seasons — one he wants to catch hold of again, the other that he hopes to forget. The kind of pitching Manny will be seeking is like he hurled the first three months. By late June the 24-year-old Venezuelan had six victories, four saves and a sizzling 1.88 earned run average. In addition to his usual relief chores, Manny was even pressed into a starter's role four times, responding brilliantly. But the strain of double duty finally wore down the slightly-built Sarmiento and he couldn't regain his first-half form the final three months. Sarmiento, who was 16 years old when he signed with Cincinnati, was first touted to the Reds by fellow-Venezuelan Dave Concepcion. Manny had been a shortstop in his native country, but turned to the pitching mound when he signed in 1972. He first came to the Reds in 1976 when he was only 20 years old. He divided the 1977 campaign between Cincinnati and Indianapolis and then spent all of 1978 season with the Reds.

No. 43 Tomlin =



Tomlin owns longest streak

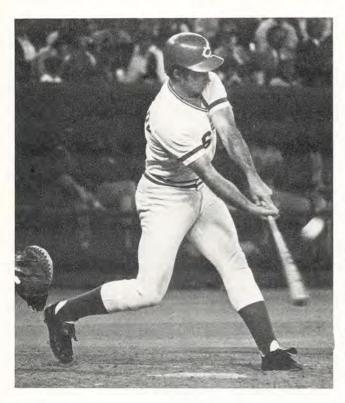
efthander Dave Tomlin starts the 1979 campaign with the longest winning streak in the National League. The tall Kentucky native lost in early April and then reeled off nine consecutive victories in his role as a relief specialist. His nine-game streak was the second longest in the league last year. Only Vida Blue's 10-gamer was longer. Dave had Lady Luck at his side during the streak, winning five of the decisions when the Reds came from behind in the late innings. Although Tomlin came to the Reds from the Texas Rangers, he is really a product of the Cincinnati farm system. The Reds originally drafted Dave out of high school and signed him to his first contract in 1967. He pitched for Cincinnati in 1972 and 1973 before his contract was traded to the San Diego organization. He worked four seasons for the Padres before going to Texas. He came back to the Reds during spring training last year. Tomlin has been one of baseball's busiest pitchers the last five years, averaging almost 60 appearances a season. He had four saves in '78 running his career total to 11.



Ray has his eyes on Reds' hot corner

R ay Knight figures he has served his apprentice-ship and is ready to become the regular Cincinnati Reds third baseman in 1979. The Georgia native, who has worked his way through the Reds' farm system, gets his chance to show new Manager John McNamara what he can do. "The two years I spent on the Reds bench weren't an entire waste," Knight reasoned. "It gave me a chance to study the pitchers in the league. Now I have a good idea what pitches they throw and when they'll throw them." Knight played all four infield positions plus left field during the 1978 season, but his regular spot is third base. "I'm confident I can do the job," Knight added. "The years I was at Indianapolis (1973-76) I learned

the basics of hitting. I believe I can hit between .260 and .290 with some power." Ray is determined to be in top shape for the 1979 campaign. He and teammate Harry Spilman worked out in a batting cage in Albany, Ga., during the winter. Now 26 years old, Knight has been in the Reds organization since 1971, signing after he was picked 10th in the June draft. He plugged through the farm system, hitting as high as .272 in 1975 at Indianapolis. The following year he added a .268 mark and belted 10 home runs to earn a spot on the major league club. In 1977, Ray batted .261 for Cincinnati in a part-time role. Last year he hit .200, but his timing was thrown off when he was on the disabled list for three weeks.



Junior shines in first chance

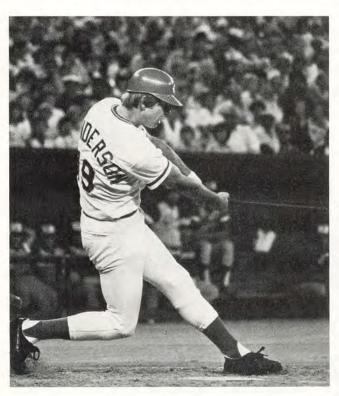
Junior Kennedy's patience was rewarded in 1978 when he got his first chance to play in the big leagues. After spending most of his previous 10 professional seasons in the minor leagues, the 28-year-old infielder made the most of his new opportunity. He showed that he could do the job both at the plate and in the field. He batted .255 and played like a real veteran in the field. Junior got more playing time than anticipated because of injuries to Joe Morgan. In all, he appeared in 89 games, starting 42 at second base. He batted .273 in those starts. Before the handsome Californian made the major league club in 1978, his only other previous major league experience came in 1974 when he joined the Reds from Indianapolis. He appeared in 22 games that year. He parlayed a strong showing at Phoenix in 1977 when he hit .316 into his first major league season. Before coming to the Reds organization, Junior was in the Baltimore farm system. He was the Orioles' No. I selection in the 1968 summer draft. His contract was traded to the Reds in December of 1973.

No. 23 Auerbach =

Rick top '78 hitter

Quickie quiz: Who led the Reds in hitting in 1978? If you answered Rick Auerbach, you're right. Yep, the Reds' infielder had his finest season at the plate, putting together a .327 batting average in the 63 games he appeared in. The 29-year-old Californian put together a truly incredible batting streak in the process. It won't show up on any lists, but over a six-weeks period, Auerbach batted safely in 10 consecutive games. And he had to make the most of every plate appearance. In the 10 games, he batted only 19 times, collecting a whopping 12 hits. Five times in the streak he went to the plate as a pinch-hitter, hitting safely in all five of the appearances. Auerbach credited much of his improved hitting on a weight program that he participated in before the 1978 season. His added muscle helped him hit a pair of home runs, matching his total in 1972 when he appeared in 153 games for Milwaukee. When called on in the pinch, Rick was Johnny on the spot. His pinch-hitting average for the season was .538.





Ken gives Reds punch off bench

Veteran Ken Henderson gave the Reds some punch off the bench in 1978 after joining Cincinnati from New York in May. He stroked three of his four home runs for the Reds, two coming as a pinch-hitter. But Ken spent quite a bit of the campaign battling a painful toe injury that limited his playing time. Before his contract was traded to the Reds, he crashed into a fence and injured a toe on his left foot. A switch-hitter with power, Henderson began his professional career 15 years ago in the San Francisco organization, reaching the majors with the Giants as a 19-year-old outfielder in 1965. He blossomed into a consistent and reliable player in 1970 when he batted .294 with 17 home runs and 88 runs batted in. His biggest year came in 1974 after going to the Chicago White Sox. He hit .292, crashed 20 home runs and knocked in 95. Henderson spent the 1973-75 seasons with the Chisox, went to Atlanta in 1976, to the Texas Rangers in 1977 and then to the Mets in '78 before he came over to Cincinnati.

No. 29 Gollins =

Dave busy pinch-hitter

Switch-hitting Dave Collins was the second busiest pinch-hitter in Cincinnati history in 1978. He was called on 74 times in that relief role, only one less than the record set by Jerry Lynch in 1965. Dave proved to be a productive pinch-hitter, too. He collected 14 hits and walked seven more times putting him on base 21 times in the 74 appearances. His 14 pinch-hits were the most by any Cincinnati player since 1973 when Phil Gagliano had 15, and they were the second highest total since 1961, when Lynch established the club mark with 19 successful pinch-hits. When Dave wasn't pinch-hitting, he saw action as a pinch-runner, the Reds hoping to take advantage of his less than 10-flat 100 speed. Twelve times he was utilized as a pinch-runner. The 1978 season was Dave's first for the Reds. His contract was acquired prior to the campaign from the Seattle Mariners. He first broke into the major leagues in 1975 with the Angels and went to Seattle in the expansion draft. Collins is a native of South Dakota where he was clocked in high school in the 100 at 9.6.



Easy-going Dan rates as top first baseman

Dan Driessen was hit by a pitch four times during the 1978 season. Two of them he forgot. The other two played havoc with his season.

The above simply sums up the kind of season experienced by the Reds first baseman. It is generally regarded that two blows on his right arm caused his batting average to fall to the .250 mark in 1978. While Driessen never complained about his problems, he acknowledged, "I probably changed my stroke a little bit when I was in pain. Just like the weather, my stroke seemed to come and go." The easy-going first baseman got off to a fast start, hitting .322 in late May, when he was plunked by a Bob Shirley fastball in San Diego. "I was really hot, really stinging the ball," Driessen said. But he went to the bench for four games. The average fell to .294 by the All-Star game, but he was making progress back to where he had been when hit by Shirley. Then came the coup de grace. This time he was struck in the elbow. "I guess

I changed my swing some after that and I could never find my good one again," Danny noted. "And I kept aggravating my right arm every time I slid." Despite his problems, Driessen kept plugging away. His bat produced 10 game-winning hits, second on the club. And even though it bothered his arm to slide, Danny kept running on the base paths. He stole 28 times, becoming the first Reds first baseman to lead the club since Bert Haas 32 years before. His fielding never waivered. He had the top fielding percentage of any National League first sacker, making only six errors in more than 1,350 chances. In one stretch he played 50 consecutive games without a miscue. "Driessen has tunnel vision," wrote Dayton Daily News baseball writer Hal McCoy, "seeing only the bright side of life, liberty, and the pursuit of a higher batting av-



erage." Joe Minster, Associate Sports Editor of the Hamilton Journal News described Driessen in another way: "Dan Driessen is a friendly easy-going man who probably is the best all-around first baseman in the major leagues." The Reds think so, too. This winter, he signed a six-year contract, longest in club history. Driessen has been in the Cincinnati organization since

1970 when he signed out of a tryout camp. He spent two years at Tampa and then began moving up the ladder. He was hitting .409 at Indianapolis in 1973 when the Reds called him to the major leagues for the first time, and he's been part of the big league scene since. His best year was 1977 when he hit .300 with 17 homers and 91 runs batted in.

No. 8 Morgan =



Joe joins classy keystone company

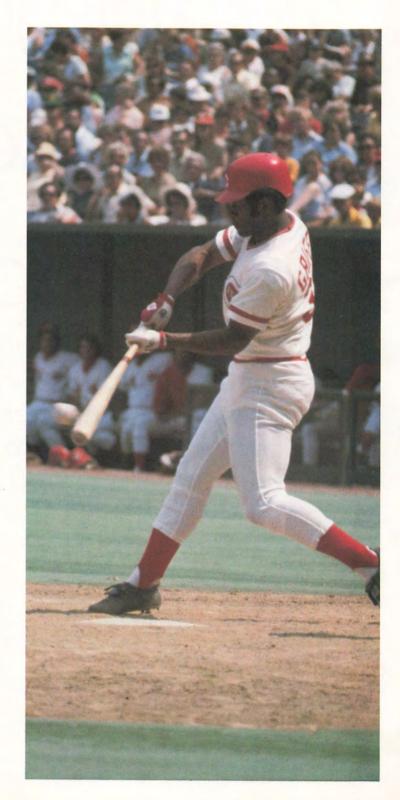
Joe Morgan is in a class by himself as a home run hitter and base stealer. He's the first ever to amass both 200 home runs and 500 stolen bases.

M ost people refer to it as a comeback, but Joe Morgan has another name for it. "To me, it's a recovery." That's Joe's way of explaining the kind of season he's looking forward to in 1979. His batting average dipped to .236 after six big years with the Reds. "Being 34 had nothing to do with it," Morgan explained. "It was the nature of the injury I had. Every time I moved, I re-injured it." The injury Morgan referred to was pulled muscles in his stomach that limited his effectiveness at the plate, on the base paths and in the field. "But I'm not through. I will be back. I pay no attention to anyone talking about my age because to me its the same as when people said I was too small when I was 20. If I had let myself think even for a minute that I was too small, I'd never have made it. If I thought I was too old or that I'd have trouble recovering from last season, I probably wouldn't be able to do it. But I will. I'm physically sound. My legs are sound. There's no looseness in

my knees." Despite Morgan's low average, he wasn't exactly a cripple at the plate. He had 75 runs batted in even though he missed about 40 starts. Joe also reached the 200 mark in career home runs becoming only the fourth second baseman to do so. He joined Rogers Hornsby, Joe Gordon and Bobby Doerr in the select circle. When Morgan hit his 200th, he became the first player ever to amass both 200 home runs and 500 stolen bases. Joe's stomach injury severely limited his prowess on the bases. He was able to swipe only 19 last year, but he still ranks 17th on the all-time list with only Lou Brock and Bert Campaneris among active players ahead of him. Joe should become only the 14th player to get 600 steals during the 1979 campaign. He starts 27 short. Before Morgan was injured, he put his name in the record book on defense. He played in 91 consecutive games without an error, picking up a streak of 76 from the 1977 campaign. During the streak he handled 410 chances without an error.







Ken's goals: 100 runs, 40 steals, high average

Take a look at the list of the active leading career hitters and you're sure Take a look at the list of the National League's to see Ken Griffey right there among the top five. Although the Reds' outfielder dipped a bit at the plate in 1978 to .288, his lifetime batting average stood at .309 when the bell rang this year. A good season this year would propel the 28-year-old Griffey into the top five on the all-time Reds' list as well. And if he attains his announced goals, he'll be in that list. "My goals in 1979 are to drive home 80 or more runs, score 100 or more runs, hit for a high average and steal 40 to 50 bases." That seems like a tall order for the speed merchant to fulfill, but he did become a prolific run producer after he switched spots in the batting order last year, moving from second to third. In the first dozen games after making the move, Griffey slammed five of his season total 10 homers and knocked in 19 runs. He had the Reds' top RBI game

of the year, driving home six against the Cardinals. The move from second to third in the batting order wasn't the only switch Griffey experienced during the 1978 campaign. He spent the last two weeks playing center field, changing from his usual right field spot that he had occupied since 1974. He passed his test and is confident he could play center if new manager John McNamara so desires. "I'm convinced I can play center field," Griffey said. "But whether I'm there or in right field really doesn't make much difference to me. It was just a matter of getting used to it. The throws are a little different in center field and the ball comes at you at a different angle, but I felt comfortable in center field by the end of the season." Ken passed the century mark in stolen bases last year, swiping 23 to run his career mark to 103. Utilizing his great speed, Griffey legged out 30 infield hits last year to run his total the past four years to 131.

Paul finds key to

P aul Moskau found the key to success late in the 1978 season and now feels he can be a consistent winner in the major leagues. He won three of four starts in September and pitched eight strong innings in the other. It was quite a reversal for the husky right-hander who started the season at Indianapolis and didn't win his first game for the Reds until July 5. "I was trying too hard to prove that I belonged in the majors," Moskau said near the end of the season.

"Now I realize that if I do the things I'm capable of, I can win consistently in the majors." Although Paul won only six games, he could have fared much better with some luck. He usually kept the Reds in the game and Cincinnati won 12 of Paul's 15 no-decision outings. Moskau couldn't get untracked during spring training last year and was optioned to Indianapolis when the season opened. He rejoined the Reds in early May and then finished with a bang. Moskau has



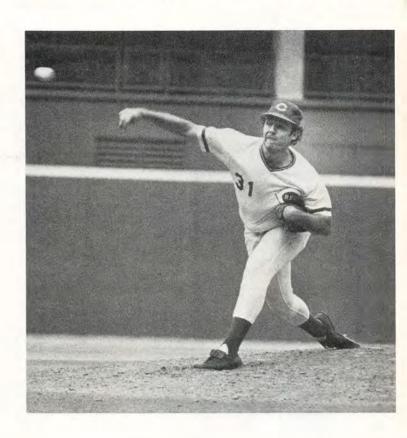
No. 34 Norman

Fred, M

The pitcher who has won more games for the Reds than any other pitcher on the roster is none other than Fred Norman. The little lefthander, who joined Cincinnati in June of 1973 from the San Diego Padres, has won 74 of his career total 89 victories pitching for the Reds. Eleven of those came in 1978 when he captured double figure victories for the sixth straight year. It's a pleasant sight to see Fred on the Riverfront Stadium mound. He feels right at home

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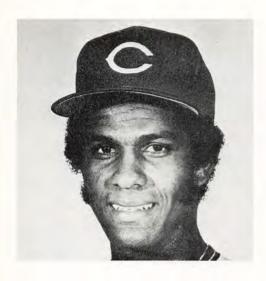
been in the Cincinnati organization since 1975 when he was picked No. 3 in the summer draft. He posted a 30-9 overall minor league record when he came to Cincinnati in June of 1977. An overall good athlete, Moskau is one of the better hitting pitchers in baseball. He led Reds pitchers with 11 RBI last year and also belted his second career home run. Both of his career homers have come against the Phils, off Randy Lerch in 1977 and off Jim Lonborg last year.

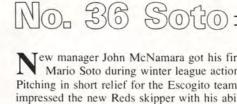


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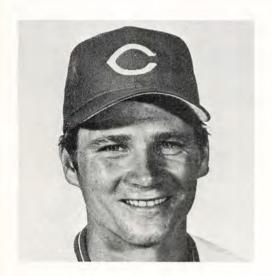
there and has won 47 games against only 20 losses in the stadium. New Reds manager John is certainly no stranger to the easy-going Norman. When Fred was just beginning his professional career in the Kansas City organization in 1962, McNamara was his manager at Lewiston, Ida. The following year they were together again at Binghamton, N.Y., and McNamara was the catcher when Norman set the Eastern League record for the most strikeouts in a season, 258. That

was back in the days when Fred was a flame-thrower. Today, he has a selection of pitches to tantalize the hitter. One that has been a big help in his big league success has been a screwball. He learned that from Hall of Famer Warren Spahn when Fred pitched at Tulsa in the American Association in 1971. Although Fred finished with a mark of 11-9, it could have been better. In 18 of his first 22 starts he held the opposition to three runs or less.



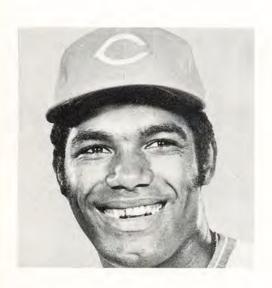


New manager John McNamara got his first look at righthanded pitcher Mario Soto during winter league action last year and liked what he saw. Pitching in short relief for the Escogito team in the Dominican League, Soto impressed the new Reds skipper with his ability to put out a fire. That's a new role for the 22-year-old Dominican Republic native. He's been a starter throughout most of his career that started in 1975. Soto was a nine-game winner at Indianapolis in 1978 and then added a victory in Cincinnati when he was called up in late September. Looking for consistency, Soto was up and down with the Indians. His blazing fast ball accounted for 121 strikeouts and he pitched six complete games for Manager Roy Majtyka's club. Mario saw his first major league action in 1977 when he pitched the final two and one-half months for the Reds. After going 11-5 that season with Indy, he joined the Reds and pitched a pair of complete games, including a shutout against Pittsburgh and a win at tough Wrigley Field in Chicago.



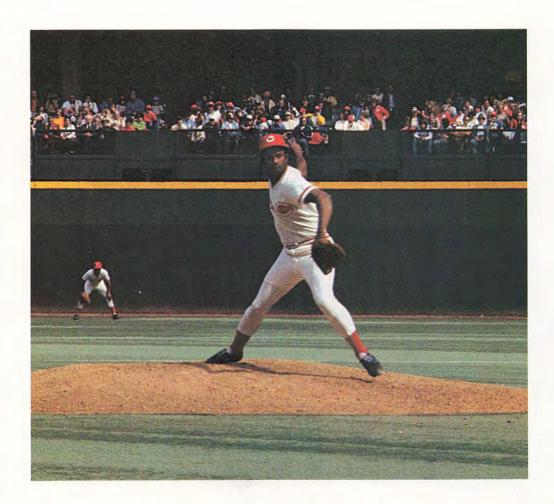
No. 7 Werner=

Few rookies ever catch a no-hit game, but that distinction fell on the shoulders of Don Werner in 1978. He had the biggest thrill of his career when he was behind the plate June 16 at Riverfront Stadium when Tom Seaver pitched a no-hit, no-run game against the St. Louis Cardinals. Not only was that the first no-hitter Werner had ever caught, it was the first he had ever seen, anywhere. Werner earned a chance to open the 1978 campaign with the Reds when he beat out Bill Plummer for the backup catching job. But during 24 straight games in May and June, Don became a regular when Johnny Bench was hampered by a back ailment. The Appleton, Wisconsin native started out his professional career in 1971 after the Reds picked him in the fifth round of the summer draft. He earned his first chance with the Reds in 1975 after batting .281 at Indianapolis. He also saw limited duty with the Reds in 1976 and 1977. After returning to Indianapolis during the second half of the '78 campaign, he helped the Indians win the Eastern Division title.



No. 58 Defreites:

Arturo DeFreites has come a long way from a series of injuries that slowed down his baseball career. The hard-hitting first baseman enjoyed his finest year last season at Indianapolis when he batted .327, socked 32 home runs and knocked in 101 runs. That performance earned his first shot on the major league club and he responded in late September with his first big league homer. The native of the Dominican Republic was making rapid strides through the Reds farm system but suffered a broken wrist during spring training in 1974. After recuperating from that, he fractured his right ankle and played in only 33 games the entire '74 season. But he has battled back impressively. DeFreites signed with Cincinnati originally in 1970. He was voted the American Association's "Hitter with the Best Power" player last season.



Pedro joins '500 club'

R elief specialist Pedro Borbon became a member of the "500 club" in 1978 as he boosted his lifetime major league appearance total to 523. He's one of only 13 active major leaguers who have worked in at least 500 games. And as he was joining this club, Pedro set a Reds' club record for most career appearances. When he worked two scoreless innings against the Pittsburgh Pirates on Aug. 14, Pedro passed Clay Carroll on the all-time Reds' list, moving into the No. 1 position. By season's end, the Dominican righthander raised the Cincinnati standard to 501 games. Borbon is recognized as a tireless worker and for the

seventh consecutive season in 1978 he pitched in at least 62 games. Borbon won eight games in 10 decisions last year, running his lifetime National League record with the Reds to 60-31. He ranks second to Fred Norman among active Cincinnati pitchers in Reds' victories. Borbon is a nine year veteran, spending the last eight with the Reds. He began his career with the Cardinals organization and was drafted out of Class A straight to the major leagues in 1969 with the California Angels. His contract was traded to the Reds' organization prior to the 1970 season. Last year was the third time the relief ace has won at least 10 games in a season.

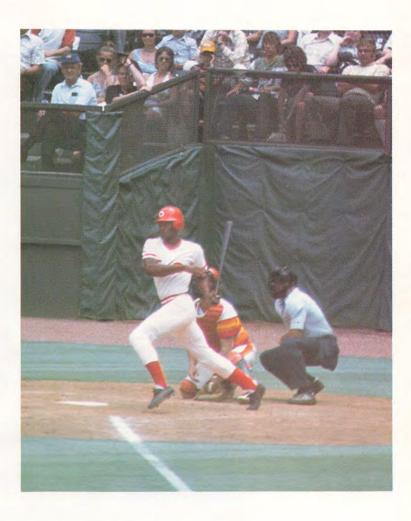


George: baseball's

ithout question, George Foster has emerged as baseball's top power hitter among active players in the game today. Here are some of the credentials that solidify that statement — most home runs by any player the past three years, only active player with 50 home runs in a single season, three consecutive RBI championships, etc. The list goes on and on. For the second straight year in 1978, George led the National League in home runs. He smacked 40, to run his total the last two years to 92. When he knocked in 120 runs last year, he became only the sixth player in major league history to win three consecutive runs batted in titles. That's pretty exclusive company he's keeping — Ruth, Cobb, Wagner, Hornsby

and Medwick. In case you missed it, all five are in the Hall of Fame. "I expected pitchers to pitch me differently and they sure did," Foster explained. "I saw more off speed and breaking pitches on 3-1 and 2-1 counts than I did in 1977. I'd get two or three good pitches to hit each at bat in 1977, but last year I was lucky to get two or three good pitches to hit a game." That could account for George's drop in his batting average. For the first time in four years it fell under the .300 level, as he finished 1978 at .281. Foster is regarded as one of the strongest hitters in the game. Many of his home runs are legendary. He can hit them far to left, center or right. He has hit four into the red seats at Riverfront, including one

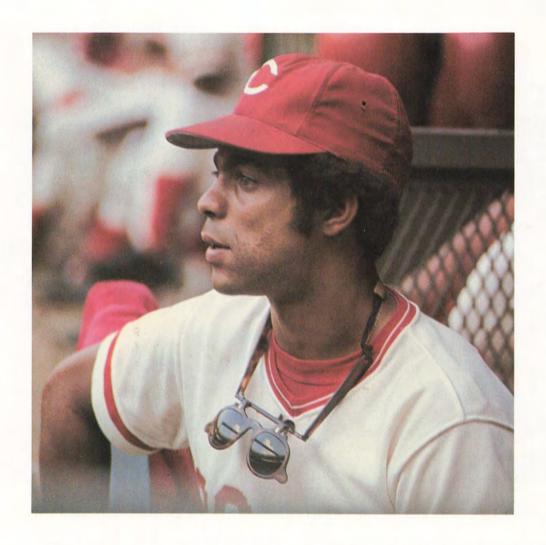




premier power king

in late July last year that some observers feel is the longest home run ever hit at Riverfront. The blow off Jim Lonborg landed in the fourth row of red seats about 20 feet fair. "Every now and then," George joshed, "it is good to hit a ball that far. It serves as a good conversation piece." Foster hit a pair of grand slam home runs last season making it six for his career. Sixteen times in his career he's hit at least two homers in a game. The closest player to Foster in homers the past three years is Boston's Jim Rice with 110 compared to Foster's 121. The closest National Leaguer is Philly's Mike Schmidt with 97. In RBI's, Foster has knocked in 390 in the last three years. That is 52 more than runnerup Rice. George

has been in professional baseball since 1968 when he was drafted and signed by the San Francisco Giants. He came to the Reds on May 29, 1971 in a trade for Frank Duffy and Vern Geishert. He spent the remainder of that season and all of 1972 with the Reds, but was farmed out to Indianapolis in '73 in order to play regularly. He came back the next year to bat .264 and the following year when inserted into the lineup as a regular he batted .300. George's best year came in 1977 when he was the National League's Most Valuable Player. That was the year he cracked 52 home runs and knocked in 149 runs, both Reds club records and league standards that hadn't been matched since the early 1960's.





Cesar gets early start with Mac

Four-time Gold Glove winner Cesar Geronimo is determined to bounce back in 1979 and he began working toward that goal as a member of John McNamara's winter league club.

hen new Manager John McNamara greeted his first Cincinnati club during spring training, there were several familiar faces in the gathering. Among them was centerfielder Cesar Geronimo, who was able to play his own game of one-up-man-ship with his teammates. Geronimo played centerfield for McNamara last winter on the Licey team in the Dominican Republic where Mac was the team's manager. "Cesar did a great job for our club in the Dominican" McNamara said. The Chief didn't start playing in his native country until late November. He was on the shelf almost three months because of a bout of phlebitis that sidelined him late in the regular season. It didn't take Geronimo long to start impressing his new skipper. McNamara used Cesar as his cleanup hitter and Geronimo responded by hitting .300. "I was impressed with his play," Mac said. "He hit the ball well and his play in the outfield was just superb." Outfield play is how Geronimo is best known. His strong arm is rated as one of the game's best and his long strides enable him to track down the drive into the gaps. Four times in his career he's won

a Gold Glove for fielding excellence. A head first slide by Geronimo in mid-May hampered his play throughout the season. He had gotten off to a quick start at the plate, hitting .309 in April, but after the injury his swing was impaired. Despite batting only .226, Cesar still owns a .263 lifetime mark. Cesar was part of the big eight-player deal with the Houston Astros the winter before the 1972 season. He worked his way gradually into the Cincinnati starting lineup and had his best year at the plate in 1976 when he batted .307. When he's hot, he has the knack of spraying the ball all over the park, landing loopers on the foul lines, dumping base hits over the infield and hitting bolts into the gaps. The Chief was originally signed by the Yankees organization after they saw his rocket arm. He was drafted by Houston following the 1968 season and spent the entire 1969 campaign in the major leagues, but he appeared in only 28 games, batting just eight times. Geronimo's home run high came in 1977 when he blasted 10. For the sixth straight year in 1978 he was in double figures in the doubles department with 15.

No. 51 LaGoss



Mike ready as starter

R ighthander Mike LaCoss got his first half season in the major leagues under his belt in 1978 and now appears ready to move into the Reds starting rotation. The 22-year-old Californian joined the Reds July 17 and pitched in Cincinnati the rest of the year. He came with good statistics, an 11-5 record, 3.47 ERA and 10 complete games at Indianapolis. LaCoss got off to a good start, winning three of his first four starts, but then ran into some bad

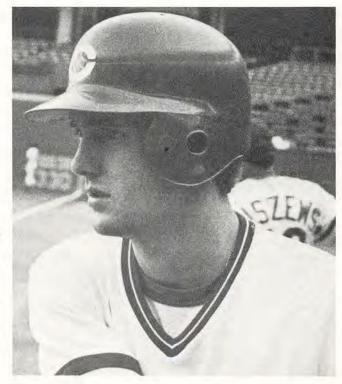
luck when the Reds scored only 10 runs in six consecutive losses. Mike got back on the track late in the year with an impressive shutout at Los Angeles. LaCoss is not a power pitcher and big strikeout games are rare for the tall redhead. On Aug. 5, for instance, he needed only 80 pitches to defeat San Diego, showing his ability to make the opposition hit the ball to a Reds fielder. "If I've got it on a night," LaCoss remarked, "I'll strike somebody out. If I don't, the heck with

it." Reds catcher Johnny Bench was impressed with LaCoss's tools. "Mike's fastball sails, sinks, moves inside and outside. Sometimes you don't know which way it is going to move." Mike continued his fine pitching during the Reds tour of Japan. He hurled four straight victories, including a one-hitter. The only hit that game was a scratch infield single that Ron Oester nearly turned into an out. Mike was the No. 3 draft choice in 1974.

No. 16 Oester :

Ron rates as top prospect

Cincinnatian Ron Oester is rated as one of the top infield prospects in baseball and he did nothing to discourage those thoughts in 1978. The switch-hitting shortstop played a vital role in Indianapolis' success as Eastern Division champion of the American Association. He batted .259 and had a pro career high of 78 runs, 21 doubles, seven home runs and 49 runs batted in. He joined the Reds in late September and appeared in six games. Those appearances provided Ron with his first major league hit (off Phil Niekro) and his first big league run, the winning tally in the 14th inning of the final game of the season. Oester is a product of Withrow High School in Cincinnati and was selected by the Reds in the ninth round of the 1974 summer draft. He started his professional career that year at Billings and has moved up the minor league ladder, improving each year as he progressed. Ron got an additional chance to impress Reds club officials after the regular season when he played on an every-day basis with the Reds in Japan.



Vic comes to the rescue

The 1978 season for Vic Correll took some interesting turns for the 33-year-old veteran catcher. It didn't start off too well as he was given his release by the Atlanta Braves for whom he had played four seasons. But from there, things began looking up. First, he was signed by Cincinnati as a player-coach for the Indianapolis farm club. And then fi-



nally when the Reds needed some experience behind the plate because of injuries to Johnny Bench, Correll came back to the major leagues. After joining the Reds in late June, Correll played in 52 games, many as a starter when Bench was on the shelf. During one two-week stretch of starting assignments, the South Carolina native batted .282. This is Correll's 13th

season of professional baseball. He launched his career in 1967 with the Rock Hill club in the Western Carolina League. He made it to the major leagues for the first time with Boston in 1972 when he appeared in one game. He was Atlanta's regular catcher in 1975. He hit 11 home runs and knocked in 39 runs that season, both career highs.

No. 28 Summers :

Big year boosts Champ's stock

Champ Summers had quite a season in 1978. He nearly won the Triple Crown in the American Association. He became the second lefthanded hitter ever to hit a "red seat" home run at Riverfront. And he capped things off by being named Minor League Player of the Year at baseball's winter meetings. Playing for Indianapolis, Summers batted .368, belted 34 home runs and knocked in 124 runs, losing the batting championship by a mere two points. It was tough for Summers to return to the minors after spending all of 1977 with the Reds, but it paid off. "This gave me the chance to play every day for the first time in my career," Champ said. "And when you're playing every day, you have a chance to make adjustments and get yourself straightened out. I eliminated a hitch in my swing and now I've got a fluid swing." Champ didn't lose his batting eye after leaving Indy. When the Reds toured Japan, he was the leading hitter with a .370 average. Summers came to the Reds after the 1976 season from the Chicago Cubs.





Bruce Berenyi



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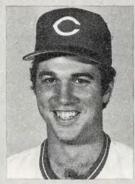
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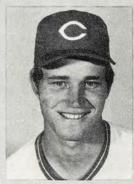
Dave Moore



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Rafael Santo Domingo



Harry Spilman

They have their eyes on the major leagues

Bruce Berenyi

Righthander Bruce Berenyi was voted the Southern League's Pitcher of the Year in 1978 after compiling a 10-5 record at Nashville. He allowed only 104 hits in 135 innings and struck out 103 batters. He was the Reds' No. 1 draft choice in the secondary phase of the 1976 summer draft. He's a native of Bryan, Ohio, and now lives in Sherwood in northwest Ohio.

Bill Dawley

Tall, righthander Bill Dawley has moved up a notch each year in the Reds farm system, after being selected in the seventh round of the 1976 June draft. Dawley spent the 1978 campaign at Nashville where he won seven games. Primarily a starter, Dawley went to the post 25 times and hurled five complete games for the Sounds. He is a Connecticut native who pitched four no-hitters in high school.

Jay Howell

Righthander Jay Howell was the strikeout king in the Southern League in 1978. He fanned 173 batters in 166 innings. He won nine games and logged an ERA of 3.09. The Reds signed Howell out of the University of Colorado after picking him in the 31st round of the 1976 draft. He pitched at Eugene and Tampa his first two years and logged identical 2.96 ERA's.

Frank Pastore

The strikeout pitch of righthander Frank Pastore came to fore in 1978 when he whiffed 120 batters in 129 innings at Nashville. Cincinnati's No. 2 pick in the 1975 June draft, Pastore has worked his way up the farm system ladder after starting at Billings. He is a California product and was an outstanding high school player in suburban Los Angeles.

Doug Capilla

Southpaw Doug Capilla spent most of the 1978 campaign at Indianapolis where he won 10 of his 16 decisions. Doug started the season with the Reds and appeared in six games before going to Manager Roy Majtyka's club. At Indy he started 22 games. Capilla has been with the Reds since June of 1977 when he came to Cincinnati in a deal with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Dan Dumoulin

Righthander Dan Dumoulin notched his first major league victory in 1978 when he won the final game of the season. Dan was brought up to the Reds in September after winning 12 of 18 decisions at Indianapolis. The Kokomo, Ind., native turned starter at Indy, working in that style for the first time since 1974. He made the most of this new opportunity, hurling a shutout in his first outing.

John Milner

John Milner was voted the Most Valuable Player in the Florida State League in 1978 after an outstanding season. He hit .284, led the league in triples with 16 and stole 28 bases. He came to the Reds from Central State University after being picked in the 21st round of the 1976 draft. The Columbus, Ohio, resident is a cousin of Pittsburgh pirates outfielder John Milner.

Rafael Santo Domingo

Injuries severely limited the playing time of infielder Rafael Santo Domingo in 1978. Splitting the season between Nashville and Indianapolis, he appeared in only 71 games. Raffy had been hoping to build on his 1977 success when he batted .281 with Three Rivers. The Puerto Rico native has been with the Reds since July of 1974.

Geoff Combe

Geoff Combe has compiled one of the top pitching records in the Reds farm system since signing as a free agent in 1974. He won 12 of 18 decisions at Nashville last year and led the Southern League in appearances with 66. His earned run average of 1.89 was one of the league's best. In his last three years, Combe has been busy out of the bullpen, appearing in 159 games.

Paul Householder

Outfielder Paul Householder was elevated to the Reds 40-man winter roster after a consistent season at Tampa in 1978. He batted .248 with nine home runs and 28 stolen bases. Householder has been in the Reds organization since 1976, when he was the No. 2 selection in the summer draft. The Columbus, Ohio, native is fleet of foot and has stolen 59 bases his first three pro seasons.

Dave Moore

Lexington native Dave Moore won 12 of his 18 decisions for Indianapolis in 1978 as he worked in both starting and relief roles. Included in his 12 wins was a victory in the final regular season game that gave Indianapolis the Eastern Division title in the American Association. Moore came to the Reds in 1972 after being picked in the seventh round of the summer draft.

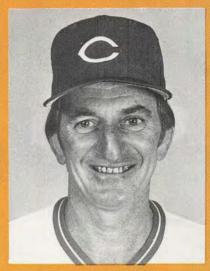
Harry Spilman

Harry Spilman was named the "Best Hitting Prospect" in the American Association in 1979 when he played at Indianapolis. Spilman batted .295 with 13 home runs and 79 RBI. Then he saw his first action in the major leagues, moving up in September. He collected his first big league hit in the final game of the season. Harry signed with the Reds in 1974 out of a tryout camp.

McNamara/coaches —



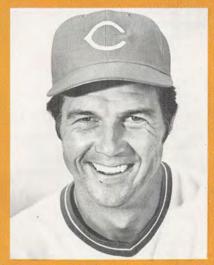
Dick Wagner and John McNamara



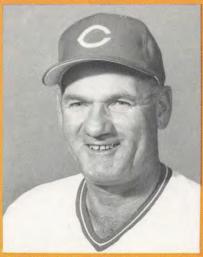
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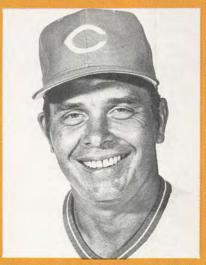
Harry Dunlop



Russ Nixon



Bill Fischer



Ron Plaza

John and his 'band' of coaches

No. 3 McNamara

The 46th manager of the Cincinnati Reds is quiet, sincere John McNamara. The 46-year-old likeable Californian was named to the post on Nov. 28. The Reds are his third major league club to manage. Previously he was with Oakland and San Diego. Already, Mac has been managing for 20 years, first taking over the leadership of the Class B Lewiston, Ida., team in the Northwest League. Although he didn't play in the big leagues, McNamara has spent the last 11 years as a major league

manager or coach, all in California. Besides managing the A's and Padres, he was a coach with San Francisco and California, from where he was hired by the Reds. A catcher in the minor leagues, McNamara broke in with Fresno in the California League. His first manager was Larry Barton, who is now a Reds Scouting Supervisor on the West Coast. McNamara's first managerial assignment in the major leagues came with Oakland in 1969 when he took over late in the year. His 1970 club had the best record

of any A's team in 38 years, 89-73. He moved over to the Padres in 1974 and the San Diego clubs of 1975 and 1976 had the two best records in Padre history until last season. "I don't have much to say, but if I have, I say it. I had respect and discipline when I managed at Oakland and San Diego and I expect to continue here. We will try to build an atmosphere of pride, a winning atmosphere which is what I've tried to do everywhere I've managed." John and his wife Kathleen have three daughters and a son.

No. 4 Dunlop

New manager John McNamara rounded out his coaching staff when he added veteran Harry Dunlop, who formerly coached for the Kansas City Royals and Chicago Cubs. He was the manager at Wichita the past two years. The new coach spent all his playing days in the minor leagues, turning to managing at age 24. He broke into baseball as an 18-year-old catcher for Class D Bristol where he had the unusual distinction of catching three no-hitters within a 14-day period, including one in which pitcher Ron Necciai struck out all 27 batters. Dunlop and McNamara are Sacramento natives.

No. 6 Fischer

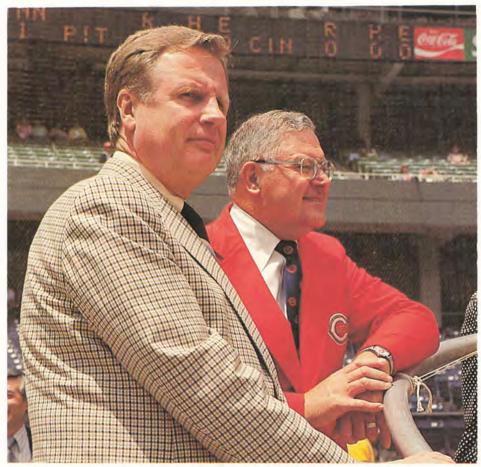
The new pitching coach for the Reds is veteran Bill Fischer. The 48-year-old native of Wausau, Wis., pitched his entire career in the American League with Chicago, Detroit, Washington, Kansas City and Minnesota. In 1962 he set a major league record of pitching 84½ consecutive innings without allowing a base on balls. After finishing his playing career in 1968, Fischer joined the Kansas City organization and scouted for five years. For the past four seasons he was the minor league pitching coach for the Royals. He comes from a baseball playing family. Two brothers pitched professionally.

No. 2 Nixon

Russ Nixon, who is now in his fourth year as a member of the Reds' coaching staff, has been with the Reds organization since 1970 when he was named manager of the Reds' Sioux Falls club in the Northern League. In his six years as a minor league skipper, Russ led his clubs to one championship and four second place finishes. Nixon spent all of his 13-year playing career in the American League, catching for Cleveland, Boston and Minnesota. He originally signed with the Indians after an outstanding amateur career in the Cincinnati area when he was Legion Player of the Year in 1951.

No. 11 Plaza

Ron Plaza is in his second year as a member of the Reds major league coaching staff. He came to the Reds after serving as coordinator of all minor league activities. And before that he served as manager of the Reds' entry in the Gulf Coast Rookie League, tutoring the just-signed Cincinnati players in basic fundamentals. The 44-year-old native of Passaic, N.J., was an infielder in his playing days in the Cardinals farm system. He played 12 years for the St. Louis organization, including half a dozen at the AAA level. He coached for the Seattle Pilots in the American League in 1969.



Dick Wagner and Bob Howsam

They head the Reds

Dick Wagner, the 11th man to hold the title of President of the Cincinnati Reds, has the baseball fan in mind anytime he makes an executive decision.

"Baseball is a great game, and the fans have made it our national pastime," Wagner has often said. "After all, there's no one more important than our fans. Without them, there's no baseball."

A careful planner and thorough organizer, Wagner continually strives for excellence.

"We are always pushing hard to refine and improve what we do both on the field and off the field. We want to have a good team for our fans to watch, and we want to make sure we treat the fans so they will want to come back and see us again and again."

Last November, the Reds chief executive made what he termed "the toughest decision of my life" when he changed managers, naming John McNamara to replace Sparky Anderson.

"It became apparent to me after carefully watching our club last year and considering the input from a variety of sources that it was in the best overall interest of our club that we change managers for '79," Wagner said.

Wagner became the Reds President last February when he succeeded Bob Howsam, who became Vice Chairman of the Board.

Now in his 13th year with the Reds, Wagner came to Cincinnati in February of 1967 as the No. 1 aide to then General Manager Howsam. As Howsam's righthand man, Wagner tended to the "business side" while Howsam concentrated on the baseball on-field activities and player development.

Last year, though, Howsam called it a "changing of the guard" and Wagner moved into Howsam's shoes as the man in charge of the day-to-day operation of the club — both the on-field and business aspects.

A Nebraska native, Wagner began his baseball career at the age of 19 as general manager of the Thomasville, Ga., club. The moves were many in the minor leagues — to Flint, Miami, San Antonio, Hutchinson and finally Lincoln, where he was named The Sporting News Minor League Executive of the Year in 1957.

He left baseball in 1958 to manage the city auditorium in Lincoln. He later became Promotion Director of the Ice Capades and ran a radio station in Salina, Kan.

Wagner returned to baseball in 1963 with the St. Louis Cardinals, but two years later became the first General Manager of The Forum in Los Angeles.

But not long after that move, Howsam came to Cincinnati and called on Wagner, who accepted the challenge.

Howsam, who is respected as one of the sharpest baseball executives in the game, remains active. His present role involves representing the club at major league and National League meetings as well as consultation on various phases of the operation.



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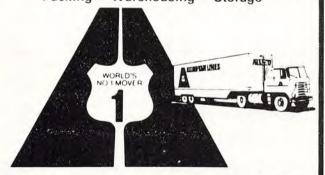
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CINCINNATI REDS

Rick Auerbach

No. 23. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 175 Born 2-15-50, Glendale, Cal.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|--------|---------------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1969 | Billings | .286 | 12 | 49 | 12 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 0 |
| 1969 | Clinton | .227 | 63 | 203 | 37 | 46 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 20 | 24 | 32 | 7 |
| 1970 | Clinton | .325 | 28 | 117 | 26 | 38 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 12 | 12 | 16 |
| 1970 | Portland | .300 | 80 | 300 | 52 | 90 | 15 | 2 | 3 | 19 | 37 | 31 | 17 |
| 1971 | Milwaukee | .203 | 79 | 236 | 22 | 48 | 10 | 0 | 1 | . 9 | 20 | 40 | - 3 |
| 1971 | Evansville | .247 | 63 | 227 | 41 | 56 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 18 | 28 | 28 | 21 |
| 1972 | Milwaukee | .218 | 153 | 554 | 50 | 121 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 30 | 43 | 62 | 24 |
| 1973 | Milwaukee | .100 | 6 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 1973 | Albuquerque | .251 | 74 | 255 | 45 | 64 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 26 | 27 | 26 | 16 |
| 1974 | Los Angeles | .342 | 45 | 73 | 12 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 4 |
| 1975 | Los Angeles | .224 | 85 | 170 | 18 | 38 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 18 | 22 | 3 |
| 1976 | Los Angeles | .128 | 36 | 47 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | - 6 | -0 |
| 1977 | Tidewater | .235 | 22 | 81 | - 8 | 19 | - 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 1 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .156 | 33 | 45 | 5 | 7 | 2 | - 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | .7 | 0 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .327 | 63 | 55 | 17 | 18 | 6 | 0 | 2 | - 5 | 7. | 12 | - 1 |
| A.L. T | otals | .213 | 238 | 800 | 74 | 170 | 27 | 3 | 3 | 39 | 63 | 103 | 27 |
| N.L. T | otals | .241 | 262 | 390 | 59 | 94 | 17 | 0 | 3 | 25 | 43 | 56 | - 8 |
| Major | League Totals | .222 | 500 | 1190 | 133 | 284 | 44 | 3 | 6 | 64 | 106 | 159 | 35 |

Doug Bair No. 40. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 180

Born 8-22-49, Defiance, Ohio

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | * | B | ER | 88 | 50 |
|---------|---------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-----|------|
| 1971 | Salem | 2- 3 | 5.90 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 29 | 35 | 22 | 19 | 26 | 18 |
| 1971 | Waterbury | 1- 0 | 0.00 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 1972 | Salem | 15- 7 | 2.85 | 24 | 24 | 15 | 180 | 170 | 86 | 57 | 95 | 186 |
| 1972 | Charleston | 0- 0 | 6.75 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| 1973 | Charleston | 7-11 | 4.39 | 26 | 26 | 3 | 158 | 173 | 103 | 77 | B7 | 94 |
| 1974 | Charleston | 7-16 | 4.07 | 26 | 26 | 11 | 170 | 166 | 87 | 77 | 91 | 117 |
| 1975 | Charleston | 9-12 | 3.01 | 26 | 26 | 7 | 167 | 157 | 72 | 56 | 58 | 113 |
| 1976 | Charleston | 7-10 | 3.18 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 122 | 102 | 48 | 43 | 57 | 108 |
| 1976 | Pittsburgh | 0- 0 | 6.00 | 4 | .0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 4 |
| 1977 | San Jose | 5- 2 | 2.18 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 24 | 8 | 8 | 17 | 49 |
| 1977 | Oakland | 4- 6 | 3.47 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 78 | 39 | 32 | 57 | 68 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 7- 6 | 1.98 | 70 | . 0 | 0 | 100 | 87 | 23 | 22 | 38 | 91 |
| N. L. | Totals | 7- 6 | 2.21 | 74 | 0 | 0 | 106 | 91 | 27 | 26 | 44 | 95 |
| A. L. 1 | Totals | 4- 6 | 3.47 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 78 | 39 | 32 | 57 | 68 |
| Major | League Totals | 11-12 | 2.76 | 119 | 0 | 0 | 189 | 169 | 66 | 58 | 101 | 163 |
| LIFET | IME MAJOR | LEAGUE | HITTI | NG: / | NB- | 4. H | 1-2, F | 1R-0, | ABI- | -1, F | ct | 143. |
| LIFET | ROLAM SMIT | LEAGUE | SAVE | S: 19 | 77-1 | . 19 | 78-28 | Total | ai-36 | i | | |

Johnny Bench No. 5. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 215 Born 12-7-47, Binger, Okla.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | 50 | SB |
|------|------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| 1965 | Tampa | .248 | 68 | 214 | 29 | 53 | 13 | -1 | 2 | 35 | 27 | 32 | 2 |
| 1966 | Peninsula | .294 | 98 | 350 | 59 | 103 | 16 | 0 | 22 | 68 | 36 | 69 | 0 |
| 1966 | Buffato | .000 | 1 | 0 | . 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 1967 | Buffalo | .259 | 98 | 344 | 39 | 89 | 17 | 2 | 23 | 68 | 21 | 68 | - 2 |
| 1967 | Cincinnati | .163 | 26 | 86 | 7 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | - 5 | 19 | |
| 1968 | Cincinnati | .275 | 154 | 564 | 67 | 155 | 40 | 2 | 15 | 82 | 31 | 96 | 1 1 |
| 1969 | Cincinnati | .293 | 148 | 532 | 83 | 156 | 23 | 1 | 26 | 90 | 49 | 86 | - 6 |
| 1970 | Cincinnati | .293 | 158 | 605 | 97 | 177 | 35 | - 4 | *45 | *148 | 54 | 102 | 1 5 |
| 1971 | Cincinnati | .238 | 149 | 562 | 80 | 134 | 19 | 2 | 27 | 61 | 49 | 83 | - 2 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | .270 | 147 | 538 | 87 | 145 | 22 | 2 | *40 | | 100 | 84 | . 6 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | .253 | 152 | 557 | 83 | 141 | 17 | 3 | 25 | 104 | 83 | 83 | 1.4 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .280 | 160 | 621 | 108 | 174 | 38 | 2 | 33 | *129 | 80 | -90 | |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .283 | 142 | 530 | 83 | 150 | 39 | 1 | 28 | 110 | 65 | 108 | 11 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 234 | 135 | 465 | 62 | 109 | 24 | 1 | 16 | 74 | 81 | 95 | 13 |

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Bruce Berenyi No. 38. B-R. T-R. 6-3, 205

Born 8-21-54, Bryan, Ohio

| Year | Club | W- | LER | A G | GS | CG | 1P | н | R | ER | 88 | 50 |
|------|-------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----|------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1977 | Eugene Shelby Nashville | 3- 10- 10- | 1 4.7 8 2.3 5 2.4 | B 12 0 25 7 23 | 11 21 23 | 7 | 49 145 135 | 50 102 107 | 37 55 44 | 26 37 37 | 55 75 63 | 39 120 103 |

Bill Bonham

No. 42. B-R. T-R. 6-3, 195 Born 10-1-48, Glendale, Cal.

| Vear | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | н | R | ER | 88 | 50 |
|-------|---------------|-------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-----|
| 1970 | Huron | 3- 3 | 3.00 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 39 | 27 | 20 | 13 | 24 | 65 |
| 1971 | Tacoma | 2- 1 | 2.45 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 13 |
| 1971 | Chicago | 2- 1 | 4.65 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 60 | 63 | 38 | 31 | 36 | 4 |
| 1972 | Wichita | 10- 4 | 3.54 | 18 | 18 | 7 | 125 | 120 | 57 | 49 | 41 | 110 |
| 1972 | Chicago | 1- 1 | 3.10 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 58 | 56 | 22 | 20 | 25 | 4 |
| 1973 | Chicago | 7. 5 | 3.02 | 44 | 15 | 3 | 152 | 126 | 55 | 51 | 64 | 12 |
| 1974 | Chicago | 11-22 | 3.85 | 44 | 36 | 10 | 243 | 246 | 133 | 104 | 109 | 19 |
| 1975 | Chicago | 13-15 | 4.72 | 38 | 36 | 7 | 229 | 254 | 133 | 120 | 109 | 16 |
| 1976 | Chicago | 9-13 | 4.27 | 32 | 31 | -3 | 196 | 215 | 102 | 93 | 96 | 110 |
| 1977 | Chicago | 10-13 | 4.35 | 34 | 34 | 1 | 215 | 207 | 111 | 104 | 82 | 13 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 11- 5 | 3.54 | 23 | 23 | 1 | 140 | 151 | 59 | 55 | 50 | 83 |
| Major | League Totals | 64-75 | 4.02 | 267 | 181 | 25 | 1293 | 1318 | 653 | 578 | 571 | 85 |
| LIFET | IME MAJOR I | EAGUE | нітт | ING: | AB- | 408 | H-7 | 73. HF | 1-0, F | 181- | 22. P | ct. |
| LIFET | IME MAJOR L | FAGUE | SAVE | 5: 19 | 72-4 | . 19 | 73-6. | 1974- | -1. 7 | Total- | -11. | |

| LIFETIME | MAJOR | LEAGUE | SAVES: | 1972-4, | 1973-6, | 1974-1- | Total-11. |
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| THEFTIME | MALOR | LEAGUE | SHUTOI | ITE. 197 | -2 107 | 7 Tota | 1 4 |

Pedro Borbon No. 34. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 200

Born 12-2-46, Valverde, Dominican Republic

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | н | 8 | ER | 88 | 50 |
|--------|----------------|-------|------|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------------|
| 1966 | Cedar Rapids | 6- 1 | 1.96 | 38 | - 1 | 1 | 69 | 53 | 22 | 15 | 16 | 58 |
| 1967 | St. Petersburg | 5. 4 | 2.29 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 52 | 22 | 16 | 17 | 50 96 20 |
| 1968 | Modesto | 8- 5 | 2.34 | *65 | 000 | - 1 | 100 | 99 | 34 | 26 | 22 | 96 |
| 1969 | California | 2- 3 | 6.15 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 41 | 55 | 31 | 28 | 11 | 20 |
| 1970 | Indianapolis | 5. 2 | 3.30 | 32 | 2 | 0 | 71 | 81 | 27 | 26 | 29 | 53 |
| 1970 | Cincinnati | 0. 2 | 6.88 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 21 | 15 | 13 | - 6 | 6 |
| 1971 | Indianapolis | 12- 6 | 3.06 | 56 | 0 | - 0 | 97 | 101 | 34 | 33 | 20 | 75 |
| 1971 | Cincinnati | 0- 0 | 4.50 | 3 | 0 | 0 | - 4 | . 3 | 3 | 2 | -1 | 4 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | 8- 3 | 3.17 | 62 80 | 2 | 0 | 122 | 115 | 45 | 43 | 32 | 48 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | 11- 4 | 2.16 | 80 | 0 | | 121 | 137 | 33 | 29 | 35 | 60 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | 10- 7 | 3.24 | 73 | 0 | 0 | 139 | 133 | 54 | 50 | 32 | 53 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | 9- 5 | 2.95 | 67 | 0 | . 0 | 125 | 145 | 47 | 41 | 21 | 29 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 4. 3 | 3.35 | 69 | 1 | 0 | 121 | 135 | 49 | 45 | 31 | 53 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | 10- 5 | 3.19 | 73 | 0 | 0 | 127 | 131 | 48 | 45 | 24 | 48 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 8- 2 | 5.00 | 62 | 0 | 0 | 99 | 102 | 56 | 55 | 27 | 35 |
| N.L. 7 | otals | 60-31 | 3.32 | 501 | 4 | 0 | 875 | 922 | 350 | 323 | 209 | 336 |
| A.L. T | otals | 2- 3 | 6.15 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 41 | 55 | 31 | 28 | 11 | 20 |
| Major | League Totals | 52:34 | 3,45 | 523 | 4 | 0 | 916 | 977 | 381 | 351 | 220 | 356 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Doug Capilla No. 44. B-L. T-L. 5-8, 175 Born 1-7-52, Honolulu, Haw.

| Year | Clup | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP. | H | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|-------|----------------|-------|------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|----------|
| 1970 | Great Falls | 2. 5 | 6.63 | 17 | 5 | 0 | 38 | 24 | 37 | 28 | 57 | 69 |
| 1972 | Decatur | 6-12 | 4.70 | 26 | 25 | 4 | 161 | 134 | 100 | 84 | 125 | 192 |
| 1973 | Fresno | 4- 7 | 4.40 | 24 | 13 | 0 | 86 | 86 | 67 | 42 | 74 | 112 |
| 1974 | Arkansas | 6- 6 | 6.14 | 20 | 18 | 2 | 88 | 87 | 72 | 60 | 84 | 78 |
| 1975 | St. Petersburg | 3- 4 | 2.12 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 51 | 38 | 20 | 12 | 39 | 45 |
| 1975 | Arkansas | 3. 5 | 4.61 | 16 | 12 | 4 | 80 | 91 | 51 | 41 | 34 | 48 |
| 1976 | Tuisa | 4- 4 | 4.87 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 57 | 59 | 38 | 31 | 45 | 58 |
| 1976 | St. Louis | 1- 0 | 5.63 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 |
| 1977 | New Orleans | 3- 4 | 4.50 | 13 | 9 | . 3 | 58 | 57 | 35 | 29 | 29 | 50 |
| 1977 | CinSt. L. | 7- A | 4.46 | 24 | 16 | 1 | 109 | 96 | 57 | 54 | 61 | 50 75 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 10- 6 | 5.47 | 22 | 22 | 3 | 132 | 137 | 91 | 80 | 93 | 87 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 0- 1 | 9.82 | 6 | 3 | O | 11 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 9 |
| Major | League Totals | 8- 9 | 4.99 | 37 | 19 | -1 | 128 | 118 | 74 | 71 | 76 | 89 |

Dave Collins

No. 29. B-B. T-L. 5-10, 175 Born 10-20-52, Rapid City, S. Dak.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 38 | ня | RBI | 88 | 50 | 58 |
|--------|----------------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| 1972 | Idaho Falls | 274 | 68 | 252 | 40 | 69 | 8 | 8 | - 1 | 27 | 41 | 51 | 21 |
| 1973 | Davenport | .258 | 110 | 387 | 61 | 100 | 15 | 7. | 4 | 49 | 82 | 58 | 32 |
| 1974 | Salinas | .343 | 39 | 143 | 30 | 49 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 21 | 16 | 19 | 29 |
| 1974 | El Paso | .352 | 82 | 324 | 64 | 114 | 15 | 4 | 4 | 49 | 42 | 34 | 32 |
| 1975 | Salt Lake City | .311 | 51 | 193 | 41 | 60 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 24 | 23 | 26 | 32 |
| 1975 | California | .266 | 93 | 319 | 41 | 85 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 29 | 36 | 55 | 24 |
| 1976 | Salt Lake City | .360 | 35 | 136 | 28 | 49 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 18 | 14 | 19 |
| 1976 | California | .263 | 99 | 365 | 45 | 96 | 12 | - 1 | 4 | 28 | 40 | 55 | 32 |
| 1977 | Seattle | -239 | 120 | 402 | 46 | 96 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 28 | 33 | 66 | 25 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .216 | 102 | 102 | 13 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 18 | 7 |
| N.L. T | ntals | .216 | 102 | 102 | 13 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 18 | 7 |
| A.L. T | otals | .255 | 312 | 1086 | 132 | 277 | 34 | 8 | 12 | 85 | 109 | 176 | 81 |
| Major | League Totals | .252 | 414 | 1188 | 145 | 299 | 35 | | 12 | 92 | 124 | 194 | at |

Geoff Combe No. 48. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 185 Born 2-1-56, Newbury Park, Cal.

| Year | Club | W | ·L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | н | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|------|--------------|-----|----|------|-----|----|-----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1975 | Eugene | g. | 3 | 2.74 | 19 | 11 | 3 | *102 | 99 | 40 | 31 | 41 | 40 |
| 1976 | Tampa | 9- | 2 | 2.12 | 47 | 1 | 0 | 102 | 78 | 31 | 24 | 39 | 63 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | 6- | 6 | 2.41 | 46 | 0 | - 0 | 82 | 72 | 24 | 22 | 34 | 68 |
| 1978 | Nashville | 12- | 6 | 1.89 | *66 | 0 | 0 | 100 | 84 | 31 | 21 | 38 | 68 |

Dave Concepcion

No. 13. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 180 Born 6-17-48, Aragua, Venezuela

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | 50 | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|------|------|-----|------|----------|-----|----|-----|-----|----------|-----|
| 1968 | Tampa | .234 | 120 | 329 | 47 | 77 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 40 | 70 | 11 |
| 1959 | Asheville | .294 | 96 | 340 | 47 | 100 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 37 | 28 | 70 63 | 11 |
| 1969 | Indianapolis | .341 | 42 | 167 | 29 | 57 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 16 | 27 | 11 |
| 1970 | Cincinnati | .260 | 101 | 265 | 38 | 69 | 6 | - 3 | 1 | 19 | 23 | 45 | 10 |
| 1971 | Cincinnati | .205 | 130 | 327 | 24 | 67 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 18 | 51 | - 5 |
| 1972 | Cincinnali | .209 | 119 | 378 | 40 | 79 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 29 | 32 | 65 | 1.3 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | .287 | 89 | 328 | 39 | 94 | 18 | 3 | 8 | 46 | 21 | 55 | 22 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .281 | 160 | 594 | 70 | 167 | 25 | 1 | 14 | 82 | 44 | 79 | 4 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .274 | 140 | 507 | 62 | 139 | 23 28 | 1 | 5 | 49 | 39 | 51 | 33 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .281 | 152 | 576 | 74 | 162 | | 7 | 9 | 69 | 49 | 68 | 2 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .271 | 156 | 572 | 59 | 155 | 26 | 3 | 8 | 64 | 46 | 77 | 2 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .301 | 153 | 565 | 75 | 170 | 33 | - 4 | 6 | 67 | 51 | 83 | 2 |
| Major | League Totals | .268 | 1200 | 4112 | 828 | 1102 | 176 | 28 | 54 | 445 | 286 | 486 | 20 |

Vic Correll

No. 9. B-R. T-R. 5-9, 175 Born 2-5-46, Florence, S. Car.

| Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | so | 28 |
|---------------|--|---|---|--|---|--|---|---|--|---|---|---|
| Rock Hill | .239 | 60 | 180 | 23 | 43 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 15 | 44 | 35 | 1 |
| Rock Hill | .286 | 105 | 301 | 47 | 86 | 17 | 2 | 16 | 66 | 69 | | 0 |
| Waterbury | .210 | 94 | 271 | | | 4 | 0 | | | | | 3 |
| Savannah | | 116 | | | | | 3 | | | | | 2 |
| Asheville | .273 | 113 | | 52 | | | | | | | 70 | 3 |
| Louisville | .271 | 137 | 491 | 64 | 133 | 25 | 0 | 10 | 65 | 61 | 77 | 2 |
| Boston | | - 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Pawtucket | .183 | 115 | 284 | 30 | | 11 | 0 | 10 | 40 | | | 1 |
| Atlanta | .238 | 73 | 202 | 20 | 48 | 15 | 1 | 4 | 29 | | | 0 |
| Atlanta | .215 | 103 | 325 | 37 | 70 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 39 | | | 0 |
| Atlanta | .225 | 69 | 200 | 26 | 45 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 16 | 21 | 37 | 0 |
| Atlanta | | | | | | 7 | 0 | 7 | | 22 | | 2 |
| Indianapolis | | | | | | 2 | | 6 | 19 | 8 | 14 | 1 |
| Cincinnati | .238 | 52 | 105 | 9 | 25 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 17 | 0 |
| otals | .223 | 351 | 976 | 108 | 218 | 47 | 4 | 28 | 106 | 114 | 191 | 2 |
| otals | ,500 | - 1 | 4 | - 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | - 1 | 0 |
| League Totals | 224 | 352 | 980 | 109 | 220 | 47 | 4 | 28 | 107 | 114 | 192 | 2 |
| | Rock Hill Waterbury Savannah Asheville Louisville Boston Pawtucket Atlanta Atlanta Atlanta Indianapolis Cincinnati etals | Rock Hill 286 280 | Rock Hill 286 105 Valerbury 210 94 Savannah 229 116 Asheville 273 113 115 | Rock Hill 286 105 301 Waterbury 229 16 271 Savannah 229 16 371 Savannah 239 13 33 Janaber 30 1 49 Boston 500 1 48 Boston 150 13 49 Pawtucket 183 15 28 Atlanta 238 73 202 Atlanta 228 53 20 Atlanta 228 54 24 Indianapolis 260 33 10 Cincinnati 238 52 105 abls 23 351 976 atals 500 1 4 | Rock Hill 286 105 301 42 Waterbury 229 14 271 20 Savannah 229 16 371 31 32 32 Aanbewile 231 13 33 22 33 32 32 32 32 32 33 32 32 33 33 32 | Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 waterbury 23 94 271 20 57 Savannah 223 113 271 31 28 Louisville 271 137 49 24 13 Boston 300 1 4 1 30 52 Atlanta 238 305 52 34 30 52 Atlanta 225 50 305 27 40 41 Atlanta 236 52 59 20 25 41 41 61 30 52 47 40 41 42 32 30 52 47 40 41 41 42 32 32 32 44 16 30 52 47 40 41 41 42 32 32 32 42 42 42 44 16 30 52 47 40 | Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 Waterbury 229 19 27 20 57 48 15 58 48 48 15 15 58 48 12 22 11 61 31 31 85 15 34 32 20 32 34 32 20 32 34 32 20 32 <td>Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 Waterbury 20 94 21 20 57 4 0 Savannah 229 116 371 31 31 58 52 3 Ashewilde 271 137 31 31 38 52 0 Boston 500 1 41 43 25 0 Boston 500 1 41 30 52 11 0 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 1 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 1 1 2 0 6 1 2 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 2 2 0 1 4</td> <td>Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 Savannah 229 116 371 31 85 15 3 8 10 2 2 18 31 31 85 15 3 8 2 2 2 2 18 3 3 2 2 2 2 3 3 8 12 2 0 2 2 2 4 3 2 1 0 0 2 2 4 3 5 1 0 1 0 1 3 2 0 0 0 2 2 4 8 15 1 4 1 2 0 0 0 2 2 4 8 1 0 1 1 1 0 10 1 4 1 2 0 0 1 2 1 1 1 1<!--</td--><td>Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 66 Waterbury 20 94 21 20 57 4 0 6 33 Savannah 229 116 317 31 51 5 3 4 4 Ashewite 271 137 31 31 32 25 0 0 20 6 Boston 500 1 4 1 32 25 0 0 6 5 Pawtucket 1.83 15 28 30 52 1 0 0 6 6 Atlanta 2.38 72 202 20 48 15 1 4 2.9 Atlanta 2.08 54 14 16 30 7 12 11 33 Atlanta 2.08 31 14 16 30 7 0 7</td><td>Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 66 69 Waterbury 20 94 271 20 57 4 0 6 33 8 4 38 8 13 3 8 4 38 8 13 3 8 13 38 8 13 38 4 13 25 0 20 20 50 50 50 8 34 38 25 10 10 60 60 30 4 4 32 25 0 0 60 60 30 34 4 32 25 0 0 0 60 30 30 30 52 11 0 10 0 0 30 33 34 33 32 11 0 10 0 0 30 33 34 34 32 32 30 32 <</td><td> Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 66 69 55 Savannah 229 16 371 31 85 15 3 8 41 38 77 Savannah 229 16 371 31 85 15 3 8 41 38 77 Savannah 239 16 371 31 85 15 3 8 41 38 77 Savannah 239 131 329 29 20 22 58 53 77 Boston 500 1 41 32 20 0 0 1 61 Boston 500 1 43 30 52 11 0 10 40 33 61 Batlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 4 29 21 38 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 4 29 21 38 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 4 29 21 38 Atlanta 238 73 70 12 11 13 42 66 Atlanta 238 52 105 205 7 0 1 62 23 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Cincinnati 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Cincinnati 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 52 105 9 25 7 0 1 6 8 17 Atlanta 238 23 23 23 23 23 23 2</td></td> | Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 Waterbury 20 94 21 20 57 4 0 Savannah 229 116 371 31 31 58 52 3 Ashewilde 271 137 31 31 38 52 0 Boston 500 1 41 43 25 0 Boston 500 1 41 30 52 11 0 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 1 Atlanta 238 73 202 20 48 15 1 1 1 2 0 6 1 2 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 2 2 0 1 4 | Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 Savannah 229 116 371 31 85 15 3 8 10 2 2 18 31 31 85 15 3 8 2 2 2 2 18 3 3 2 2 2 2 3 3 8 12 2 0 2 2 2 4 3 2 1 0 0 2 2 4 3 5 1 0 1 0 1 3 2 0 0 0 2 2 4 8 15 1 4 1 2 0 0 0 2 2 4 8 1 0 1 1 1 0 10 1 4 1 2 0 0 1 2 1 1 1 1 </td <td>Rock Hill 286 105 301 47 86 17 2 16 66 Waterbury 20 94 21 20 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Bill Dawley
No. 49. B-R. T-R. 6-4, 205
Born 2-6-58, Norwich, Conn.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|------|--------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------|----------|----|-----------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|
| 1977 | Billings Tampa Nashville | 6- 4 10- 8 | 2.77 2.82 4.02 | 13 24 27 | 12 24 | 6 | 78 181 | 62 151 135 | 42 69 78 | 24 57 63 | 37 69 | 80 110 86 |

Arturo DeFreites

No. 58. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 200 Born 4-26-53, San Pedro de Macoris, Dominican Republic

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | 50 | SB |
|------|--------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|----|----|-----|----|-----|-----|
| 1970 | Bradenton | .210 | 36 | 119 | 13 | 25 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 31 | 2 |
| 1971 | Sioux Fails | .245 | 51 | 155 | 21 | 38 | - 8 | -4 | 4 | 30 | 16 | 59 | 7 |
| 1972 | Key West | 273 | 129 | 480 | 69 | 131 | 26 | 14 | 9 | 68 | 28 | 94 | 10 |
| 1973 | Three Rivers | .272 | 130 | 475 | 61 | 129 | 27 | 4 | 8 | 66 | 26 | 85 | 8 |
| 1974 | Indianapolis | .316 | 33 | 114 | 12 | 36 | 6 | 2 | -1 | 10 | 7 | 27 | 3 |
| 1975 | Indianapolis | .229 | 126 | 446 | 40 | 102 | 20 | 3 | 14 | 70 | 17 | 78 | 6 |
| 1976 | Indianapolis | -275 | 42 | 153 | 14 | 42 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 2 | 26 | . 0 |
| 1976 | Toledo | .283 | 81 | 304 | 43 | 86 | 14 | 4 | 14 | 62 | 9 | 54 | 4 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | .267 | 115 | 389 | 55 | 104 | 26 | 7 | 11 | 65 | 18 | 65 | - 4 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 327 | 131 | 46B | 98 | 153 | 31 | 5 | 32 | 101 | 36 | 98 | 3 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 211 | 9 | 19 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ı | - 4 | 0 |

Dan Driessen

No. 22. B-L. T-R. 5-11, 190 Born 7-29-51, Hilton Head, S. Car.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1970 | Tampa | .223 | 93 | 242 | 28 | 54 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 27 | 32 | 9 |
| 1971 | Tampa | .327 | 136 | 468 | 72 | 153 | 27 | 9 | 4 | 62 | 74 | 59 | 17 |
| 1972 | Three Rivers | 322 | 136 | 481 | 62 | 155 | 37 | 4 | 4 | 65 | 66 | 64 | 10 |
| 1973 | Indianapolis | 409 | 47 | 181 | 42 | 74 | 14 | 4 | 6 | 46 | 26 | 32 | 6 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | -301 | 102 | 366 | 49 | 110 | 15 | 2 | 4 | 47 | 24 | 37 | - 8 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .281 | 150 | 470 | 63 | 132 | 23 | - 5 | 7 | 56 | 48 | 62 | 10 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .281 | 88 | 210 | 38 | 59 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 38 | 35 | 30 | 10 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 247 | 98 | 219 | 32 | 54 | 11 | 1 | . 7 | 44 | 43 | 32 | 14 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .300 | 151 | 536 | 75 | 161 | 31 | 4 | 1.7 | 91 | 64 | 85 | 31 |
| 197B | Cincinnati | .250 | 153 | 524 | 68 | 131 | 23 | 3 | 16 | 70 | 75 | 79 | 28 |
| Major | League Totals | .285 | 762 | 2325 | 325 | 663 | 111 | 17 | 58 | 346 | 389 | 325 | 101 |

Dan Dumoulin

No. 50. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 185 Born 8-20-53, Kokomo, Ind.

| Year | Club | W | ·L | ERA | G | GS | CC | IP. | ** | 8 | ER | BB | 50 |
|-------|---------------|-----|----|-------|----|----|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|
| 1974 | Billings | 4- | 2 | 3.33 | 12 | 6 | 0 | 46 | 43 | 34 | 17 | 31 | 29 |
| 1975 | Tampa | 7- | 3 | 2.04 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 84 | 55 | 22 | 19 | 46 | 64 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | 2. | 1 | 2.02 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 58 | 50 | 27 | 13 | 26 | 35 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | 1- | 2 | 2.87 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 47 | 40 | 22 | 15 | 36 | 28 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | 0. | 0 | 14.40 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 8 | 3 | |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 12- | 5 | 4.17 | 32 | 16 | 4 | 123 | 118 | 74 | 57 | 68 | 79 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 1- | ō | 1.80 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 3 | |
| Major | League Totals | 1. | 0 | 8.10 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 19 | 9 | 9 | 6 | 7 |

George Foster No. 15. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 190 Born 12-1-48, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SE |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|------|-----|----------|-----|
| 1968 | Medford | .277 | 72 | 253 | 47 | 70 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 30 | 28 | 20 59 | - 3 |
| 1969 | Fresno | .321 | 121 | 449 | 68 | 144 | .5 | 8 | 14 | 85 | 37 | 59 | - 1 |
| 1969 | S. F. | .400 | 9 | 5 | - 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | - 1 | - (|
| 1970 | Phoenix | .308 | 114 | 403 | 54 | 124 | 18 | 6 | 8 | 66 | 41 | 57 | |
| 1970 | S. F. | 316 | 9 | 19 | 2 | fi | 1 | 1 | - 1 | 4 | 2 | 5 | - 1 |
| 1971 | S. FCin. | .241 | 140 | 473 | 50 | 114 | 23 | 4 | 13 | 58 | 29 | 120 | - 1 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | .200 | 59 | 145 | 15 | 29 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 5 | 44 | |
| 1973 | Indianapolis | -262 | 134 | 496 | 77 | 130 | 26 | 1 | 15 | 60 | 44 | 109 | |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | .282 | 17 | 39 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 7 | - 1 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | 264 | 106 | 276 | 31 | 73 | 18 | 0 | 7 | 41 | 30 | 52 | . : |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .300 | 134 | 463 | 71 | 139 | 24 | 4 | 23 | 78 | 40 | .73 | |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .306 | 144 | 562 | 86 | 172 | 21 | 9 | 29 | .121 | 52 | 89 | 1 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .320 | 158 | 615 | *124 | 197 | 31 | 2 | *52 | *149 | 61 | 107 | |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | -281 | 158 | 504 | 97 | 170 | 26 | 7 | *40 | +120 | 70 | 138 | |
| Major | League Totals | .285 | 934 | 3201 | 483 | 913 | 151 | 28 | 171 | 593 | 293 | 636 | 4 |

Cesar Geronimo

No. 20. B-L. T-L. 6-2, 175 Born 3-11-48, El Seibo, Dominican Republic

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | 50 | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| 1967 | Oneonta | .100 | 4 | 10 | - 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 1967 | Johnson City | .071 | 18 | 14 | T | - 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 |
| 1968 | Ft. Lau'dale | 194 | 109 | 324 | 35 | 63 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 27 | 23 | 75 | 7 |
| 1969 | Houston | .250 | 28 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 1 | .0 | - 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| 1970 | Columbus | .269 | 74 | 264 | 26 | 71 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 21 | 17 | 46 | 5 |
| 1970 | Houston | .243 | 47 | 37 | 5 | 9 | 0 | .0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | - 5 | .0 |
| 1971 | Houston | .220 | 94 | 82 | 13 | 18 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 31 | 2 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | .275 | 120 | 255 | 32 | 70 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 29 | 24 | 64 | 2 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | .210 | | 324 | 35 | 68 | 14 | 3 | - 4 | 33 | 23 | 74 | 5 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .281 | 150 | 474 | 73 | 133 | 17 | В | 7 | 54 | 45 | 96 | 9 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | 257 | 148 | 501 | 69 | 129 | 25 | - 5 | 6 | 53 | 48 | 97 | 13 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .307 | 149 | 486 | 59 | 149 | 24 | 11 | 2 | 49 | 56 | 95 | 22 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .265 | 149 | 492 | 54 | 131 | 22 | 4 | 10 | 52 | 35 | 89 | 10 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .226 | 122 | 296 | 28 | 67 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 27 | 43 | 67 | 8 |
| Major | League Totals | .263 | 1146 | 2955 | 376 | 776 | 129 | 41 | 39 | 305 | 282 | 621 | 71 |

Ken Griffey No. 30. B-L. T-L. 6-0, 195 Born 4-10-50, Donora, Pa.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | ЭВ | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1969 | Bradenton | .281 | 49 | 153 | 22 | 43 | *11 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 18 | 35 | 11 |
| 1970 | Sioux Falls | .244 | 51 | 164 | 20 | 40 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 23 | 41 | 10 |
| 1971 | Tampa | .342 | 88 | 281 | 60 | 96 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 33 | 43 | 54 | 25 |
| 1971 | Three Rivers | .406 | 9 | 32 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 10 | - 4 |
| 1972 | Three Rivers | .318 | 128 | 472 | *96 | 150 | 21 | 3 | 14 | 52 | 55 | 93 | 31 |
| 1973 | Indianapolis. | .327 | 107 | 397 | 88 | 130 | 18 | 5 | 10 | 58 | 51 | 84 | *43 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | .384 | 25 | 86 | 19 | 33 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 6 | 10 | 1.4 |
| 1974 | Indianapolis | .333 | 43 | 162 | 34 | 54 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 18 | 18 | 26 | 12 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .251 | 88 | 227 | 24 | 57 | 9 | . 5 | 2 | 19 | 27 | 43 | 9 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .305 | 132 | 463 | 95 | 141 | 15 | 9 | 4 | 46 | 67 | 67 | 16 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .336 | 148 | 562 | 111 | 189 | 28 | 9 | 6 | 74 | 62 | 65 | 34 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .318 | 154 | 585 | 117 | 186 | 35 | 8 | 12 | 57 | 69 | 84 | 17 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .288 | 158 | 614 | 90 | 177 | 33 | 8 | 10 | 63 | 54 | 70 | 23 |
| Major | League Totals | .309 | 705 | 2537 | 456 | 783 | 125 | 40 | 37 | 273 | 285 | 339 | 103 |

Ken Henderson

No. 19, B-B. T-R. 6-3, 190 Born 6-15-46, Manning, la.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | 58 |
|---------|---------------|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1964 | Fresno | .225 | 14 | -40 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 14 | 0 |
| 1964 | Magic Valley | .183 | 31 | 104 | 22 | 19 | -4 | 3 | 0 | 20 | 31 | 29 | 3 |
| 1964 | Tacoma | .179 | 18 | 39 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | - 8 | 0 |
| 1965 | S. Francisco | .192 | 63 | .73 | 10 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 0 | . 7 | 9 | 19 | _ 1 |
| 1966 | Phoenix | .272 | 133 | 464 | 66 | 126 | 15 | 10 | 13 | 66 | 73 | 89 | 11 |
| 1966 | S. Francisco | .310 | 11 | 29 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| 1967 | S. Francisco | .190 | 65 | 179 | 15 | 34 | . 3 | 0 | - 4 | 14 | 19 | 52 | . 0 |
| 1967 | Phoenix | .266 | 41 | 143 | 18 | 38 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 13 | 26 | 21 | 2 |
| 1968 | Phoenix | .254 | 106 | 350 | 53 | 89 | 21 | 5 | 11 | 60 | 39 | 70 | 4 |
| 1968 | S. Francisco | .333 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - 0 | 2 | - 1 | - 0 |
| 1969 | S. Francisco | .225 | 113 | 374 | 42 | 84 | 14 | 4 | - 6 | 44 | 42 | 64 | . 6 |
| 1970 | S. Francisco | .294 | 148 | 554 | 104 | 163 | 35 | 3 | 17 | 88 | 87 | 78 | 20 |
| 1971 | S. Francisco | .254 | 141 | 504 | 80 | 133 | 26 | 6 | 15 | 65 | 84 | 76 | 18 |
| 1972 | S. Francisco | :257 | 130 | 439 | 60 | 113 | 21 | 2 | 18 | 51 | 38 | 66 | 14 |
| 1973 | Chicago (AL) | .260 | 73 | 262 | 32 | 68 | 13 | 0 | 6 | 32 | 27 | 49 | 3 |
| 1974 | Chicago (AL) | :292 | 162 | 602 | 76 | 176 | 35 | 5 | 20 | 95 | 66 | 112 | 12 |
| 1975 | Chicago (AL) | .251 | 140 | 513 | 65 | 129 | 20 | 3 | 9 | 53 | 74 | 65 | 5 |
| 1976 | Atlanta | .262 | 133 | 435 | 52 | 114 | 19 | 0 | 13 | 61 | 62 | 68 | - 5 |
| 1977 | Texas | .258 | 75 | 244 | 23 | 63 | 14 | 0 | 5 | 23 | 18 | 37 | 2 |
| 1978 | CinN.Y.(NL) | .175 | 71 | 166 | 12 | 29 | 8 | 1 | - 4 | 23 | 27 | 36 | 0 |
| N. L. | Totals | .252 | 878 | 2756 | 380 | 694 | 128 | 18 | 78 | 354 | 372 | 463 | 64 |
| A. L. 1 | fotals | .269 | 450 | 1621 | 196 | 436 | 82 | 8 | 40 | 203 | 185 | 263 | 22 |
| Major | League Totals | .258 | 1328 | 4377 | 576 | 1130 | 210 | 26 | 118 | 557 | 557 | 726 | 86 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

CARFFA RECORDS

Paul Householder

No. 56. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 180 Born 9-4-58, Columbus, Ohio

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | SO | SB |
|------|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|--------------|---------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| 1977 | Billings Shelby Tampa | .255 .232 .248 | 50 137 123 | 149 500 415 | 23 72 59 | 38 116 103 | 15 8 | 2 9 10 | 10 9 | 19 63 42 | 23 62 41 | 33 30 80 | 9 22 28 |

Jay Howell No. 43. B-R. T-R. 6-3, 200 Born 11-26-55, Miami, Fla.

| Year | Club | M-F | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------|------------------------------|------|----------------------|----|----|----|-----|------------------|----|----|----|------------------|
| 1977 | Eugene Tampa Nashville | 7-13 | 2.96 2.95 3.09 | 23 | 22 | 10 | 158 | 65 141 134 | 60 | 52 | 52 | 79 99 •173 |

Tom Hume

No. 47. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 180 Born 3-29-53, Cincinnati, Ohio

| mpa | 7-11 | 2.45 | 100 | | | | | | | | |
|------------|--|---|--|---|---|---|--|---|---|--|--|
| | | 3.45 | 23 | 23 | 5 | 141 | 135 | 69 | 54 | 68 | 112 |
| ree Rivers | 7- 8 | 4.29 | 27 | 127 | 3 | 170 | 185 | 97 | 81 | 99 | 103 |
| ree Rivers | 7-12 | 4.41 | 26 | 127 | 7 | 157 | *167 | 91 | 77 | 90 | 109 |
| ree Rivers | 3- 2 | 3.00 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 45 | 43 | | 15 | 15 | 19 |
| dianapolis | 6- 5 | 4.05 | 17 | 15 | 4 | | 105 | | 45 | 36 | 56 |
| dianapolis | 9-12 | 4.10 | 27 | 27 | 8 | 182 | | | | 62 | 111 |
| dianapolis | 5- 6 | 2.55 | 28 | 12 | 2 | | - 99 | | 30 | | 75 |
| ncinnati | 3- 3 | 7.12 | 14 | - 5 | 0 | | 54 | 36 | 34 | 17 | 22 |
| ncinnati | 8-11 | 4.14 | 42 | 23 | 3 | 174 | 198 | 89 | HO. | 50 | 90 |
| gue Totals | 11-14 | 4.73 | 56 | 28 | 3 | 217 | 252 | 125 | 114 | 67 | 112 |
| | ree Rivers dianapolis dianapolis dianapolis ncinnati ncinnati | ree Rivers 3- 2 dianapolis 6- 6 dianapolis 9-12 dianapolis 5- 5 ncinnati 3- 3 ncinnati 8-11 igue Totals 11-14 | ree Rivers 3- 2- 3.00 dianapolis 6- 5- 4.05 dianapolis 9-12 4.10 dianapolis 5- 6- 2.55 ecinnati 8-11 4.14 egue Totals 11-14 4.73 | ree Rivers 3- 2 3.00 7 dianapolis 6- 6 4.05 17 dianapolis 9-12 4.10 27 dianapolis 5- 6 2.55 28 necinnati 8-11 4.14 42 ague Totals 11-14 4.73 56 | ree Rivers 3 2 3.00 7 6 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 6 1 | ree Rivers 3-2 3.00 7 6 2 dianapolis 6-6 4.05 17 16 4 dianapolis 9-12 4.10 27 27 8 dianapolis 5-6 2.55 28 12 2 ncinnati 3-3 7.12 14 5 0 ncinnati 8-11 4.14 42 23 guer Totals 11-14 4.73 56 28 3 | ree Rivers 3- 2 3.00 7 6 2 45 dianapolis 6- 6 4.05 17 16 4 100 dianapolis 9-12 4.10 27 27 8 182 dianapolis 5- 6 2.55 28 12 2 106 ncinnati 3- 3 7.12 14 5 0 43 ncinnati 8-11 4.14 42 23 3 174 gue Totals 11-14 4.73 56 28 3 217 | ree Rivers 3- 2 3.00 7 6 2 45 43 dishangbolis 6- 6 4.05 17 16 4 100 10.6 dishangbolis 9-12 4.10 27 27 8 182 178 dishangbolis 5- 6 2.55 28 12 2 10.6 99 ncinnati 3- 3 7.12 14 5 0 43 54 ncinnati 3- 3 7.12 14 2 23 3 174 198 gue Totals 11-14 4.73 56 28 3 217 252 | ree Rivers 3 - 2 3.00 7 6 2 45 43 20 dianapolis 6 - 6 4.05 17 16 4 100 106 49 dianapolis 9-12 4.10 27 27 8 182 178 91 dianapolis 5 - 6 2.55 8 12 2 10.6 99 40 ncinnati 3 - 3 7.12 14 5 0 43 54 36 ncinnati 3 - 11 4.14 23 3 12 17 14 198 89 gue Totals 11-14 4.73 56 28 3 217 252 125 | ree Rivers 9 - 2 3:00 - 7 6 2 45 43 20 15 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 17 16 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 | ree Rivers 3 - 2 3.00 7 6 2 45 43 20 15 15 15 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 |

(Home run 6-15-77 at Riverfront off Lerch, Philadelphia) LIFETIME MAJOR LEAGUE SAVES: 1978—1.

Junior Kennedy

No. 26. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 185 Born 8-9-50, Ft. Gibson, Okla.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|----|
| 1968 | Aberdeen | :252 | 65 | 225 | 32 | 59 | - 5 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 24 | -39 | 2 |
| 1969 | Stockton | .264 | 115 | 375 | 38 | 99 | 16 | 1 | 2 | 34 | 48 | 65 | 21 |
| 1970 | DFt. Worth | .333 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 0 | - 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 1971 | DFt. Worth | .226 | 118 | 420 | 58 | 95 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 29 | 46 | 59 | 16 |
| 1972 | Rochester | .240 | 123 | 388 | 41 | 93 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 33 | 39 | 62 | 10 |
| 1973 | Rochester | .219 | 58 | 196 | 40 | 43 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 33 | 46 | -4 |
| 1973 | Indianapolis | .282 | 45 | 142 | 21 | 40 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 19 | 22 | -4 |
| 1974 | Indianapolis. | .284 | 84 | 271 | 50 | 77 | 9 | 4 | - 1 | 22 | 28 | 35 | 10 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .158 | 22 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 0 | -0 | 0 | 0. | 6 | 4 | 0 |
| 1975 | Indianapolis | .277 | 116 | 405 | 49 | 112 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 46 | 57 | 73 | 10 |
| 1976 | Indianapolis | .250 | 122 | 348 | 53 | 87 | 15 | 4 | 2 | 44 | 60 | 54 | 11 |
| 1977 | Phoenix | .316 | 135 | 481 | 88 | 152 | 16 | 9 | 0 | 76 | 74 | 51 | 14 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .255 | 89 | 157 | 22 | 40 | 2 | - 2 | Ö | 11 | 31 | 28 | 4 |
| Major | League Totals | .244 | 111 | 176 | 24 | 43 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 37 | 32 | 4 |

Ray Knight
No. 25. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 185
Born 12-28-52, Albany, Ga.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|
| 1971 | Sioux Falls | .285 | 64 | 239 | 34 | 58 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 31 | 26 | 27 | 6 |
| 1972 | Three Rivers | 212 | 97 | 302 | 25 | 64 | - 8 | 1 | 2 | 35 | 21 | 41 | 2 |
| 1973 | Three Rivers | .280 | 57 | 193 | 41" | 54 | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 22 | 28 | 33 | 1 |
| 1973 | Indianapolis | 217 | 78 | 253 | 20 | 55 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 16 | 24 | 40 | 3 |
| 1974 | Indianapolis | .227 | 107 | 352 | 36 | 80 | 13 | 4 | 5 | 37 | 17 | 51 | 2 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | .182 | 14 | 11 | 1 | . 2 | -1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | o |
| 1975 | Indianapolis | .272 | 123 | 434 | 58 | 118 | 16 | - 5 | 4 | 48 | 40 | 51 | 3 |
| 1976 | Indianapotis. | 258 | 110 | 396 | 47 | 106 | 24 | 3 | 10 | 41 | 36 | 50 | 2 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .251 | 80 | 92 | 8 | 24 | - 5 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 9 | 16 | î |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | -200 | 83 | 65 | 7 | 13 | 3 | Q | 1 | 4 | 3 | 16 | 0 |
| Major | League Totals | .232 | 177 | 168 | 16 | 39 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 13 | 31 | -1 |

Mike LaCoss

No. 51. B-R. T-R. 6-4, 190 Born 5-30-56, Glendale, Cal.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP. | н | R | ER | BB | so |
|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|------|-------|-----|-----|
| 1974 | Billings | 6- 5 | 2.79 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 87 | BI | 40 | 27 | 38 | 58 |
| 1975 | Tampa | 7-10 | 2.86 | 23 | 22 | 9 | 151 | 131 | 61 | 48 | 41 | 72 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | 12-10 | 2.94 | 25 | 25 | 9 | 162 | 148 | 66 | 53 | 53 | 80 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | 11-13 | 3.87 | 27 | 27 | -8 | 186 | 181 | 93 | 80 | 65 | 104 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 11- 5 | 3.47 | 19 | 19 | 10 | 130 | 129 | 52 | 50 | 49 | 67 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 4- 8 | 4.50 | 16 | 15 | 2 | 96 | 104 | 56 | 48 | 46 | 31 |
| LIFET | TIME MAJOR L | EAGUE | HITTI | NG: | AB- | 30, F | 1-2. 1 | HR-0. | REI- | -1. (| Pct | 067 |
| LICET | TIME MAIND I | EACHE | CHIT | DILTE | . 10 | 70 1 | | | - | | - | - |

Eddie Milner

No. 55. B-L. T-L. 6-0, 170 Born 5-21-55, Griffin, Ga.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|------|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|-----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1977 | Billings Shelby Tampa | .255 .268 .284 | 67 110 133 | 231 414 497 | 51 62 79 | 59 111 141 | 14 15 16 | 3 8 *16 | 3 8 | 27 30 44 | 49 56 55 | 23 46 49 | 71 35 28 |

Dave Moore

No. 54. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 185 Born 9-19-54, Lexington, Ky.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | H | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|------|--------------|-------|------|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|-----|----|-----|
| 1972 | Bradenton | 2- 3 | 3.54 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 28 | 22 | 17 | 11 | 16 | 29 |
| 1972 | Melbourne | 4. 2 | 1.29 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 49 | 28 | 13 | 7 | 23 | 37 |
| 1973 | Tampa | 3- 7 | 4.14 | 25 | 18 | 2 | 100 | 117 | 56 | 46 | 39 | 79 |
| 1974 | Tampa | 11-11 | 3.24 | 25 | 25 | 9 | 175 | *185 | 72 | 64 | 77 | 125 |
| 1975 | Three Rivers | 8-12 | 2.74 | 26 | 26 | 4 | 184 | 153 | 67 | 56 | 63 | 116 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | 7-12 | 2.89 | 25 | 22 | 10 | 159 | 138 | 55 | 51 | 68 | 95 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | 10- 2 | 3.69 | 14 | 14 | 4 | 95 | 70 | 41 | 39 | 43 | 43 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | 8- 4 | 3.56 | 16 | 14 | 4 | 86 | 92 | 43 | 34 | 28 | 54 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 12- 6 | 4.93 | 29 | 22 | - 4 | 140 | 135 | 82 | -75 | 87 | -75 |

Joe Morgan No. 8. B-L. T-R. 5-7, 160 Born 9-19-43, Bonham, Tex.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 28 | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|------|
| 1963 | Modesto | .263 | 45 | 152 | 42 | 40 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 27 | 52 | 34 | - 5 |
| 1963 | Durham | .332 | 95 | 322 | 74 | 107 | 20 | 2 | 13 | 43 | 91 | 38 | 7 |
| 1963 | Houston | .240 | 8 | 25 | - 5 | 6 | 0 | - 1 | .0 | 3 | - 5 | 5 | 1 |
| 1964 | San Antonio | .323 | | 496 | 113 | 160 | *42 | 8 | 12 | 90 | 105 | 56 | 47 |
| 1964 | Houston | .189 | 10 | 37 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 7 | 0 |
| 1965 | Houston | .271 | 157 | 601 | 100 | 163 | 22 | 12 | 14 | 40 | +97 | 77 | 20 |
| 1965 | Houston | .285 | 122 | 425 | 60 | 121 | 14 | 8 | . 5 | 42 | 89 | 43 | 11 |
| 1967 | Houston | .275 | 133 | 494 | 73 | 136 | 27 | 11 | 6 | 42 | 81 | 51 | 29 |
| 1968 | Houston | .250 | 10 | 20 | 6 | - 5 | 0 | - 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 3 |
| 1969 | Houston | .236 | 147 | 535 | 94 | 126 | 18 | 5 | 15 | 43 | 110 | 74 | 49 |
| 1970 | Houston | .268 | 144 | 548 | 102 | 147 | 28 | 9 | 8 | 52 | 102 | 55 | 42 |
| 1971 | Houston | .256 | | 583 | 87 | 149 | 27 | +11 | 13 | 56 | 88 | 50 | 40 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | .292 | 149 | 552 | *122 | 161 | 23 | 4 | 16 | 73 | *115 | 44 | . 58 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | 290 | 157 | 576 | 116 | 167 | 35 | 2 | 26 | 62 | 111 | 61 | 67 |
| 974 | Cincinnati | .293 | 149 | 512 | 107 | 150 | 31 | 3 | 22 | 67 | 120 | 69 | 58 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .327 | 146 | 498 | 107 | 163 | 27 | 6 | 17 | 94 | *132 | 52 | 67 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .320 | 141 | 472 | 113 | 151 | 30 | 5 | 27 | 111 | 114 | 41 | 60 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .288 | 153 | 521 | 113 | 150 | 21 | 6 | 22 | 78 | 117 | 58 | 49 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | ,236 | 132 | 441 | 68 | 104 | 27 | 0 | 13 | 75 | 79 | 40 | 19 |
| Major | League Totals | ,279 | 1918 | 6840 | 1277 | 1906 | 330 | 84 | 204 | 858 | 1373 | 731 | 573 |

Paul Moskau

No. 31. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 210 Born 12-20-53, St. Joseph, Mo.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | (P | H | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|-------|---------------|--------|-------|------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-------|------|------|-----|
| 1975 | Billings | 0-1 | 2.25 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | - 5 | - 1 | 3 | 6 |
| 1975 | Eugene | *10- 1 | *1.50 | 13 | 12 | 7 | 84 | 52 | 22 | 14 | 41 | *92 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | 13- 6 | *1.55 | 26 | 23 | 11 | 180 | 134 | 42 | 31 | 58 | 124 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | 7. 1 | 3.54 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 81 | 69 | 35 | 32 | 26 | 55 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | 6- 6 | 4.00 | 20 | 19 | 2 | 108 | 116 | 51 | 48 | 40 | 71 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 1- 1 | 3.08 | 4 | 4 | 10 | 26 | 21 | 14 | 9 | 15 | 27 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 5- 4 | 3.97 | 26 | 25 | 2 | 145 | 139 | 55 | 64 | 57 | 88 |
| Major | League Totals | 12-10 | 3.98 | 46 | 44 | 4 | 253 | 255 | 116 | 112 | 97 | 155 |
| LIFET | ME MAJOR L | EAGUE | HITT | ING: | AB- | B7. | H-17. | HR- | -2. F | BI-1 | 3. P | ct. |

(Last home run 7-29-78 at Riverfront off Lonburg, Philadelphia) LIFETIME MAJOR LEAGUE SAVES: 1978—1.

| LIFETIME MAJOR LEAGUE SHUTOUTS: 1977-2, 1978-1 | . Total—3. |
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Fred Norman

B-B. T-L. 5-8, 170

Born 8-20-42, San Antonio, Tex.

| rear | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1b | H | R | ER | 88 | SO |
|--------|----------------|--------|-------|------|-----|----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 1961 | Shreveport | 1- 7 | 5.70 | 14 | 11 | 0 | 54 | 45 | 43 | 34 | 64 | 46 |
| 1962 | Binghamton | 3- 5 | 4.89 | 11 | 11 | 2 | 70 | 61 | 41 | 38 | 53 | F 81 |
| 1962 | Lewiston | 7- 5 | 4.07 | 16 | 14 | 7 | 95 | 66 | 46 | 43 | 79 | 147 |
| 1962 | Kansas City | 0- 0 | 2.25 | 2 | 0 | 0 | - 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 1963 | Binghamton | 13-14 | 3.09 | 30. | 26 | 14 | 198 | 143 | 76 | 68 | 104 | *258 |
| 1963 | Kansas City | D- 1 | 12.00 | 2 | 2 | D. | 6 | . 9 | 9 | 8 | 7 | . 6 |
| 1964 | Salt Lake City | | 7.38 | 15 | 11 | 1 | 50 | 62 | 50 | 41 | 30 | 50 |
| 1964 | Fort Worth | 1- 8 | 6.95 | 13 | 9 | 2 | 57 | 55 | 46 | 44 | 33 | 40 |
| 1964 | Chicago | 0- 4 | 6.47 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 32 | 34 | 25 | 23 | 21 | 20 |
| 1965 | Dallas-Ft. W. | 0-1 | 9.00 | - 4 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 7 | . 5 |
| 1965 | Wenatchee | 4- 4 | 5,52 | . 25 | 16 | 2 | 106 | 110 | 74 | 65 | 63 | 116 |
| 1966 | Dallas-Ft. W. | 12-11 | 2.73 | 42 | 27 | 7 | 191 | 147 | 71 | 58 | 65 | *198 |
| 1966 | Chicago | 0-0 | 4,50 | 2 | -0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | |
| 1967 | Chicago | 0.0 | 0.00 | 1 | .0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | . 0 | - 3 |
| 1967 | Spokane | 8- 5 | 3.71 | 16 | 16 | 6 | 102 | 91 | 46 | 42 | 43 | 77 |
| 1968 | Albuquerque | 6- B | 4,39 | 23 | 23 | 2 | 151 | 124 | 70 | 59 | 49 | 86 |
| 1969 | Spokane | 113- 6 | 2.62 | 34 | 19 | 2 | 151 | 128 | 68 | 44 | 61 | 134 |
| 1970 | Los Angeles | 2- 0 | 5.22 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 62 | 65 | 40 | 36 | 33 | 47 |
| 1970 | St. Louis | 0-0 | 0.00 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0. | 0 |
| 1971 | St. Louis | | 11.29 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 7 | . 5 | 5 | 7 | - 4 |
| 1971 | Tulsa | 6- 1 | 2.17 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 63 | 44 | 16 | 15 | 22 | 72 |
| 1971 | San Diego | 3.12 | 3.33 | 20 | 18 | 5 | 127 | 114 | 48 | 47 | 56 | 77 |
| 1972 | San Diego | 9-11 | 3.45 | 42 | 28 | 10 | 212 | 195 | 88 | 81 | 88 | 167 |
| 1973 | San Diego-Cin | 13-13 | 3,60 | 36 | 35 | 8 | 240 | 208 | 102 | 96 | 101 | 161 |
| 1974 | Cincinnati | 13-12 | 3.15 | 35 | 26 | 8 | 186 | 170 | 69 | 65 | 68 | 141 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | 12- 4 | 3.73 | 34 | 26 | 2 | 188 | 163 | 85 | 78 | 84 | 115 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 12- 7 | 3.10 | 33 | 24 | 8 | 180 | 153 | 71 | 62 | 70 | 126 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | 14-13 | 3.38 | 35 | 34 | 8 | 221 | 200 | 97 | 83 | 98 | 160 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 11- 9 | 3.71 | 36 | 31 | 0 | 177 | 173 | 86 | 73 | 82 | 111 |
| N.L. T | | 89-85 | 3.58 | 317 | 227 | 49 | 1635 | 1488 | 718 | 651 | 710 | 1142 |
| A.L. T | otals | 0- 1 | 8.10 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 13 | 10 | 9 | - 8 | |
| Major | League Totals | 89-86 | 3.61 | 321 | 229 | 49 | 1645 | 1501 | 728 | 660 | 710 | 1150 |

Ron Oester

No. 16. B-B. T-R. 6-1, 175 Born 5-5-56, Cincinnati, Ohio

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | 88 | 50 | SB |
|------|--------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|
| 1974 | Billings | .311 | 53 | 167 | 23 | 52 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 9 | 27 | 1 |
| 1975 | Tampa | .219 | 117 | 375 | 40 | 82 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 25 | 38 | 56 | 3 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | .246 | 138 | 447 | 57 | 110 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 44 | 47 | 68 | 6 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | .255 | 134 | 455 | 60 | 116 | 16 | 5 | 3 | 33 | 39 | 80 | 14 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | .259 | 135 | 514 | 78 | 133 | 21 | 4 | 7 | 49 | 29 | 84 | 11 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .375 | | 8 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |

Frank Pastore

No. 53. B-R. T-R. 6-2, 205 Born 8-21-57, Alhambra, Cal.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP | н | R | ER | BB | 50 |
|------|--------------|------|------|----|----|-------|-----|-----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1975 | Billings | 5- 7 | 2.56 | 15 | 13 | 32760 | 88 | 89 | 47 | 25 | 27 | 69 |
| 1976 | Tampa | 5- 7 | 3.11 | 21 | 19 | | 107 | 101 | 50 | 37 | 34 | 54 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | 6- 6 | 3.64 | 15 | 15 | | 94 | 98 | 43 | 38 | 32 | 51 |
| 1978 | Nashville | 6- 8 | 3.49 | 22 | 20 | | 129 | 106 | 58 | 50 | 46 | 120 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 0- 2 | 6.94 | 4 | 3 | | 12 | 24 | 15 | 9 | 5 | 8 |

Rafael Santo Domingo

No. 57. B-B. T-R. 6-0, 160

Born Orocovis, Puerto Rico

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 2B | 38 | HR | RBI | ВВ | so | SB |
|------|--------------|------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|-----|
| 1974 | Billings | .253 | 36 | 91 | 13 | 23 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 16 | 16 | 3 |
| 1975 | Tampa | .271 | 15 | 48 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 14 | 0 |
| 1975 | Three Rivers | .202 | 110 | 341 | 29 | 69 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 27 | 79 | . 8 |
| 1976 | Three Rivers | .207 | 84 | 222 | 25 | 46 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 16 | 15 | 40 | 4 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | .281 | 112 | 438 | 68 | 123 | 19 | 7 | 2 | 45 | 39 | 67 | 13 |
| 1978 | Nashville | .205 | 22 | 44 | 4 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | 265 | 49 | 136 | 23 | 36 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 25 | -4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Manny Sarmiento No. 45. B-R. T-R. 5-11, 170 Born 2-2-56, Cagua Aragua, Venezuela

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|-------|---------------|-------|------|-----|----|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|-----|
| 1972 | Bradenton | 2- 6 | 2.93 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 40 | 22 | 13 | 15 | 34 |
| 1973 | Seattle | 2- 6 | 2.15 | *36 | 1 | 0 | 67 | 53 | 22 | 16 | 24 | 60 |
| 1974 | Tampa | 10-9 | 2.86 | 39 | 9 | 6 | 126 | 112 | 42 | 40 | 47 | 80 |
| 1975 | Three Rivers | 6- 8 | 2.58 | *64 | 1 | 0 | 129 | 104 | 41 | 37 | 51 | 114 |
| 1976 | Indianapolis | 11. 5 | 2.78 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 49 | 21 | 20 | 24 | 51 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | 5- 1 | 2.05 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 44 | 36 | 14 | 10 | 12 | 20 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | 3- 4 | 6.69 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 35 | 45 | 26 | 26 | 12 | 35 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | 0- 0 | 2.47 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 28 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 23 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 9- 7 | 4,39 | 53 | 4 | 0 | 127 | 109 | 65 | 62 | 54 | 72 |
| Major | League Totals | 14- 8 | 3.54 | 109 | 4 | 0 | 211 | 173 | 92 | 83 | 77 | 115 |

Tom Seaver

No. 41. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 210

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | H | R | ER | ВВ | so |
|-------|---------------|--------|--------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 1956 | Jacksonville | 12-12 | 3.13 | 34 | 32 | 10 | 210 | 184 | 87 | 73 | 66 | 188 |
| 1967 | New York | 16-13 | 2.76 | 35 | 34 | 18 | 251 | 224 | 85 | 27 | 78 | 170 |
| 1968 | New York | 16-12 | 2.20 | 36 | 35 | 14 | 278 | 224 | 73 | 68 | 48 | 205 |
| 1969 | New York | *25- 7 | 2.21 | 36 | 35 | 18 | 273 | 202 | 75 | 67 | 82 | 208 |
| 1970 | New York | 18-12 | *2.81 | 37 | 36 | 19 | 291 | 230 | 103 | 91 | 83 | |
| 1971 | New York | 20-10 | *1.76 | 36 | 35 | 21 | 286 | 210 | 61 | 56 | 61 | *289 |
| 1972 | New York | 21-12 | 2.92 | 35 | 35 | 13 | 262 | 215 | 92 | 85 | 77 | 249 |
| 1973 | New York | 19-10 | *2.08 | 36 | 36 | 18 | 290 | 219 | 74 | 67 | 64 | |
| 1974 | New York | 11-11 | 3.20 | 32 | 32 | 12 | 236 | 199 | 89 | 84 | 75 | 201 |
| 1975 | New York | 122- 9 | 2.38 | 36 | 36 | 15 | 280 | 217 | 81 | 74 | | *243 |
| 1976 | New York | 14-11 | 2.59 | 35 | 34 | 13 | 271 | 211 | 83 | 78 | 77 | *235 |
| 1977 | CinN.Y. | 21- 6 | 2.59 | 33 | 33 | 19 | 261 | 199 | 78 | 75 | 66 | 196 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 16-14 | 2.87 | 36 | 36 | 8 | 260 | 218 | 97 | 83 | 89 | 226 |
| Major | League Totals | 219-11 | 7 2.51 | 423 | 417 | 186 | 3239 | 2568 | 991 | 905 | 888 | 2756 |

Mario Soto

No. 36. B-R. T-R. 6-0, 180 Born 7-12-56, Bani, Dominican Republic

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | IP. | н | R | ER | BB | SC |
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| 1975 1976 1977 1977 | Eugene Tampa Indianapolis Cincinnati | 2- 3 13- 7 11- 5 2- 6 | 4.20 1.87 3.08 5.31 | 5 26 18 12 | 5 25 18 10 | 13 4 2 | 30 197 123 61 | 33 142 100 60 | 21 54 51 38 | 14 41 42 36 | 18 80 61 26 | 124 |
| 1978 1978 | Indianapolis Cincinnati | 9-12 | 5.02 | 26 5 | 24 | 6 | 160 | 129 | 102 | 89 | 95 13 | 121 |
| Major | League Totals | 3- 6 | 4.67 | 17 | 11 | 2 | 79 | 73 | 43 | 41 | 39 | 57 |

Harry Spilman No. 12. B-L. T-R. 6-1, 185

Born 7-18-54, Dawson, Ga.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | 50 | SB |
|------|--------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|
| 1974 | Billings | .309 | 54 | 178 | 29 | 55 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 30 | 13 | 33 | 3 |
| 1975 | Tampa | .259 | 115 | 348 | 33 | 90 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 61 | 43 | 6 |
| 1976 | Tampa | .249 | 118 | 361 | 50 | 90 | 12 | 5 | - 5 | 35 | 65 | 48 | 6 |
| 1977 | Three Rivers | .373 | 133 | 493 | 94 | 184 | 39 | 3 | 16 | 78 | 74 | 40 | 1 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | .295 | 133 | 488 | 95 | 144 | 26 | 4 | 13 | 79 | 68 | 57 | 2 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .250 | 4 | -4 | - 1 | 1 | . 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

Champ Summers No. 28. B-L. T-R. 6-2, 205

Born 6-15-48, Bremerton, Wash.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | H | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | 88 | so | SB |
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| 1971 | Coos BN. B. | .252 | 65 | 222 | 36 | 56 | 8 | - 5 | 3 | 34 | 22 | 45 | 8 |
| 1972 | Burlington | .308 | 97 | 273 | 43 | 84 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 54 | 33 | 55 | 6 |
| 1973 | Tucson | .333 | 94 | 288 | 49 | 96 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 45 | 27 | 46 | 3 |
| 1974 | Tucson | .263 | 94 | 334 | 49 | 88 | 13 | 6 | 10 | 59 | 43 | 51 | 7 |
| 1974 | Oakland | .125 | 20 | 24 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 1975 | Tucson | .315 | 17 | 54 | 5 | 1.7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | - 6 | 7 | 9 | -1 |
| 1975 | Chicago (NL) | .231 | 76 | 91 | 14 | 21 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 10 | 13 | - 0 |
| 1976 | Chicago (NL) | .206 | 83 | 126 | - 11 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 13 | 31 | 0 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .171 | 59 | 76 | 11 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 6 | - 6 | 16 | - a |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | .368 | 132 | 462 | 98 | 170 | 25 | 5 | 34 | 124 | -81 | 57 | 11 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .257 | 13 | 35 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 2 |
| N. L. | Totals | .210 | 231 | 328 | 40 | 69 | 13 | 1 | 8 | 38 | 36 | 64 | 3 |
| A. L. | Totals | .125 | 20 | 24 | 2 | 3 | - 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Major | League Totals | .205 | 251 | 352 | 42 | 72 | 14 | 1 | 8 | 41 | 37 | 69 | 3 |

Dave Tomlin

No. 37. B-L. T-L. 6-3, 185 Born 6-22-49, Maysville, Ky.

| Year | Club | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | 1P | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|-------|---------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-----|-------|
| 1967 | Wytheville | 7- 5 | 4.34 | 14 | 13 | 6 | 85 | 93 | 55 | 41 | 43 | 47 |
| 1968 | Tampa | 6- 3 | 2.41 | 37 | 1 | 0 | 56 | 47 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 38 |
| 1959 | Tampa | 5- 1 | 2.86 | 23 | 1.1 | 1 | 44 | 34 | 18 | 14 | 22 | 25 |
| 1970 | Asheville | 6-10 | 3.11 | 25 | 22 | 2 | 139 | 135 | 62 | 48 | 58 | 73 |
| 1971 | Indianapolis. | 7- 4 | 2.23 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 61 | 46 | 19 | 15 | 24 | 50 |
| 1972 | Indianapolis | 5- 6 | 2.79 | 36 | 7 | 2 | 90 | 83 | 30 | 28 | 36 | 86 |
| 1972 | Cincinnati | 0- 0 | 9.00 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| 1973 | Indianapolis | 1- 3 | 3.52 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 29 | 15 | 12 | 11 | 26 |
| 1973 | Cincinnati | 1- 2 | 4.82 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 24 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 20 |
| 1974 | Hawaii | 5- 1 | 1.69 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 48 | 33 | 10 | 9 | 20 | 48 |
| 1974 | San Diego | 2- 0 | 4.34 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 58 | 59 | 29 | 28 | 30 | 29 |
| 1975 | San Diego | 4. 2 | 3.25 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 87 | 38 | 30 | 31 | 48 |
| 1976 | San Diego | 0- 1 | 2.84 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 7.3 | 62 | 24 | 23 | 20 | 43 |
| 1977 | San Diego | 4- 4 | 3.00 | 76 | 0 | 0 | 102 | 98 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 55 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | 9- 1 | 5.81 | 57 | 0 | 0 | 62 | 88 | 54 | 40 | 30 | 32 |
| Major | League Totals | 20-10 | 3.82 | 315 | 0 | 0 | 410 | 425 | 202 | 174 | 159 | 229 |
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Don Werner

No. 7. B-R. T-R. 6-1, 185 Born 3-8-53, Appleton, Wisc.

| Year | Club | Pct. | G | AB | R | н | 28 | 38 | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|-------|---------------|------|-----|-----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|------|----|-----|-----|
| 1971 | Bradenton | .333 | 10 | 21 | 7 | 7 | 1 | - 1 | 0 | - 5 | 5 | - 1 | 0 |
| 1971 | Tampa | 172 | 36 | 122 | 10 | 21 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 5 | 37 | 1 |
| 1972 | Tampa | .257 | 116 | 377 | 42 | 97 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 31 | 53 | 72 | . 3 |
| 1973 | Three Rivers | .201 | 110 | 284 | 31 | 57 | . 9 | 1 | - 5 | 34 | 53 | 89 | 1 |
| 1974 | Tampa | .232 | 120 | 397 | 44 | 92 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 38 | 65 | 60 | 4 |
| 1975 | Indianapolis | .281 | 86 | 228 | 39 | 64 | 11 | 5 | 9 | 34 | 41 | 67 | 5 |
| 1976 | Richmond | .265 | 49 | 151 | 19 | 40 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 21 | 36 | 45 | 2 |
| 1975 | Cincinnati | .125 | 7 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .0 | 0 |
| 1976 | Indianapolis | .205 | 38 | 112 | 14 | 23 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 12 | 27 | 4 |
| 1976 | Cincinnati | .500 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1977 | Indianapolis | .213 | 34 | 94 | 12 | 20 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 13 | 11 | 30 | 1 |
| 1977 | Cincinnati | .174 | 10 | 23 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| 1978 | Indianapolis | .240 | 40 | 125 | 14 | 30 | 6 | 1 | - 3 | 22 | 13 | 30 | 1 |
| 1978 | Cincinnati | .150 | 50 | 113 | 7 | 17 | 2 | 1 | - 0 | - 11 | 14 | 30 | 1 |
| Major | League Totals | .162 | 70 | 148 | 10 | 24 | 3 | _1 | 2 | 16 | 17 | 34 | 1 |





There is always plenty of action at Riverfront Stadium and the Reds have lined up some extra special dates to make this season another season to remember. From Opening Day, April 4, until Fan Appreciation Day, September 30, the schedule promises a wide variety of fun-filled dates.

Some of this year's special dates include Bat Day, Cap Day, a Marching Band Festival, Farmer's Nite, Country Music Nite, four Teen Nites and Fan Appreciation Day.

In addition, there's College Nite, Banner Day, Poster Day, four Business Day Specials, six Senior Citizens' dates and three double-headers all combining for another great season for Cincinnati's baseball fans. Keep checking your schedule for even more special dates to be announced throughout the season.

this season's special dates

Official National League Opener: Wednesday, April 4.

Teen Nites: Friday, April 6, May 4, August 3, September 28. (Guys and gals thru age 19 may purchase \$4.00 reserved seats for \$2.00.)

Bat Day: Sunday, April 8. (Free bat to every boy and girl age 14 and under accompanied by a separate paying adult.)

College Nite: Friday, April 27. (College students and their dates may purchase \$4.00 reserved seats for \$3.00.)

Cap Day: Sunday, April 29. (Free cap to everybody, adults and children.)

Marching Band Festival: Saturday, May 5.

Banner Day: Sunday, June 3.

Country Music Nite: Saturday, June 9.

Poster Day: Sunday, June 10. (Free poster to everybody age 21 and under.)

Farmers Nite: Saturday, July 14.

Poster Day: Sunday, June 10. (Free poster to everybody age 21 and under.)
Farmers Nite: Saturday, July 14.
Shrine Nite: Friday, August 17.
Team Photo Day: Sunday, September 9. (Free team picture to everybody.)
Fan Appreciation Day: Sunday, September 30.
Business Day Specials: Wednesday, April 25; Wednesday, May 16; Wednesday, June 6; Thursday, August 9.
Senior Citizen's Dates: Wednesday, April 25; Wednesday, May 16; Wednesday, June 6; Wednesday, July 4; Thursday, August 9; Saturday, September 29. (Persons age 65 and over may purchase \$4.00 reserved seats for \$2.00.)

Other Special Dates to be announced.

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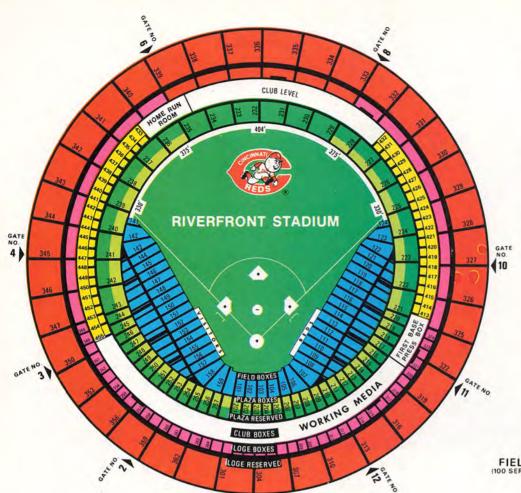
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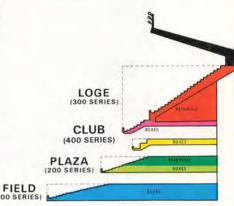


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Riverfront Stadium has been the scene of many memories since its first game in 1970. Let's take a stroll down Memory Lane . . .

It was June 30, 1970. The Cincinnati Reds and Atlanta Braves were about to play the first game of a three-game series in Cincinnati. It was a hot, muggy night, but everybody was decked out in their finery. After all, it was Opening Night at Riverfront Stadium. A little over two years after the first spadeful of dirt was turned, the first event was being

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On June 30 this year, Riverfront celebrates its 10th birthday. Therefore, it seems appropriate for a stroll down Riverfront Stadium's memory lane.

The stadium was baptized in a hurry by home run king Hank Aaron, who owns the distinction of hitting the first

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The popular team of Marty Brennaman and Joe Nuxhall are back for their sixth year together in the Reds radio booth, calling the action on the Reds Radio network throughout the Ohio Valley. Brennaman calls the action as the play-by-play announcer while the ever-observant Nuxhall offers analysis and comment, thanks to his long career as a big league pitcher. Those expressions Marty's "And this one belongs to the Reds" and Nuxhall's "Rounding third and heading for home" - have become popular catch-phrases with Reds listeners. The Reds boast a network of more than 120 stations in nearly 100 cities in seven states. Clear channel WLW in Cincinnati is flagship. Heading the network is WHIO in Dayton. Other major network stations include WRMZ in Columbus, WAVE in Louisville, WBLG in Lexington, WGNT in Huntington, and WIMA in Lima. The Stroh Brewery Company is the prime sponsor on WLW and the network. Marathon Oil is a co-sponsor on WLW and the network. Kahn's is a participating sponsor on both WLW and the network. Conwood Tobacco Co. and Kings Island are participating sponsors on the network. The First National Bank of Cincinnati, Frisch's Restaurants and Pepsi Cola are co-sponsors on WLW. Riverside Ford is a participating sponsor on WLW.

Bill and Ray on television



Bill Brown and Ray Lane

Bill Brown and newcomer Ray Lane team together in 1979 in the Reds television booth. Brown has moved up the ladder and is the new play-by-play telecaster, replacing Ken Coleman who moved on to the Boston Red Sox. Lane joins the Reds television network from Detroit, where he is sports director of WJBK. Brown is familiar to Reds fans, spending the last three years in the TV booth as the color commentator. Now in his seventh year at WLWT, he is also highly recognized for the popular RedsScene show that airs prior to many telecasts. A Missouri native, Brown came to WLWT after serving a stint with the Army in Saigon where he was a sportscaster for the Armed Forces Radio and Television System. Lane is a veteran baseball commentator. He spent nine years calling the action for the Detroit Tigers, seven on radio and two on television. A graduate of Michigan State University, he is also the basketball and football voice for Michigan State. Executive producer for the Reds on television is Bill Spiegel. Major sponsors are Pabst Brewing Company and the Greater Cincinnati Chevrolet Dealers.

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Mac: deal with others with your heart

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"That's enough of that," Rader bellowed as he grabbed a bat and demolished the new stopwatch lying near the manager's clipboard.

The startled players didn't realize the prank had been prearranged. The day's workout was marked by a noticeable rise in enthusiasm. Buzzie Bavasi, general manager of the California Angels and the former front office boss of the Dodgers and Padres, compares McNamara to Walter Alston, the Darrtown, O. squire who won seven pennants and three world championships in Brooklyn and Los Angeles.

"They're patterned in the same mould," says Bavasi, who hired McNamara to manage San Diego in 1974 and to coach third base for the Angels in 1978. "John will always have a job with me if he wants it."

Ironically, one of McNamara's biggest boosters is the man he replaces in Cincinnati, Sparky Anderson.

"I wish John nothing but the best, he'll do a good job with the Reds," says Anderson, who voted for McNamara as National League "manager of the year" in 1976, when San Diego scored a club record of 73 victories

That summer, McNamara was Anderson's choice to coach third base for his National League team in the Major League All-Star Game.

The new Cincinnati manager has much in common with the man he replaces. Both are low key, neither is very big physically, both are popular with the news media and neither attracted much attention as a player.

McNamara, who stands 5-10 and weighs 175, spent 14 seasons as a minor league catcher, nine of them as a player-manager.

"He could catch and he could throw," remembers San Diego general manager Bob Fontaine, "but his bat kept him from going to the big leagues.

"I tried to sign him (for Pittsburgh) when he was a kid, growing up in Sacramento, but I backed off when he asked for a \$6,000 bonus. I said, 'John, it's obvious you've never watched yourself hit.'"

As a manager in the A's farm system, McNamara had a hand in the development of many of the players (Fingers, Tenace, Joe Rudi, et al) who led Oakland to successive world championships in 1972-73-74.



He managed the A's the last 13 games of 1969 and all of 1970, when they finished second, but was fired by Oakland owner Charlie Finley at the end of the '70 season. McNamara went on to coach for San Francisco before serving the Padres and Angels.

The Cincinnati newcomer was the nextto-youngest of five children (two brothers, two sisters) who were supported by their mother after their father died in the late 1940's.

"I was 13 at the time," McNamara recalls, "and my Mom, Josephine, went to work for the (California) Department of Motor Vehicles to support us. My Mom was my best friend." She died several years ago.

McNamara and his wife, Kathleen, have three daughters (Peggy 22, Maureen 19, Susan 15) and a son (Mike 20).

McNamara also has a host of well wishers.

"A fine person and a good baseball man," says San Diego left-hander Randy Jones, who had two 20-victory seasons and won a Cy Young Award while playing for McNamara.

"Three years ago, I thought John was doing it with mirrors," says former San Francisco manager Bill Rigney. "His '76 team was in third place in July and it had no business being there, not with that pitching staff."

McNamara has managed for only two major league owners. The first was Finley, who has had 17 managers since purchasing the A's in 1960. The second was Ray Kroc, who has had three managers in five years at San Diego.

The Reds have a much better record for stability.

Phil Collier, baseball writer for the San Diego Evening Tribune, developed a close relationship and friendship with John McNamara when Mac was manager of the San Diego Padres. Collier covered every game while McNamara piloted the Padres.

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The Science

By Paul Meyer

magine for a moment that it is one of those steamy summer afternoons at Riverfront Stadium. The humidity is high. So is the temperature.

And you are the pitcher.

Standing in the center of this huge sauna bath, you stare around. Dave Parker is at the plate. Cincinnati leads by a run in the ninth



'And by keeping your legs in shape, that's the main reason I've been able to have . . . consistency - a lot of innings year after year after year.'

inning. The bases are full. So is the count. There are two outs. Your assignment, which you have no choice but to accept, is to get Parker out.

You must make a good pitch — but not too good. You must throw a strike - but not too good a one. In short, you must make a perfect pitch. You wipe perspiration from your forehead. You look in to your catcher. You make your delivery and let the pitch go.

All major league pitchers face similar situations many times during a season. How they react to them depends on a lot of factors.

Like their mental approach to pitching. Are they free of negative thoughts? Have they concentrated fully on that pitch? Are they relaxed?

And the physical aspect is important, too. Are they tired? Does their arm hurt? Are their legs in shape? Simply put, do they feel good?

From the physical standpoint, Tom Seaver

is one of the top pitchers.

"You stay away from physical problems by keeping your legs in shape," the three-time Cy Young Award winner said. "I do a lot of running. I play a lot of squash in the offseason to keep my muscles toned. I lift weights for my shoulder. A lot of the strain of pitching is absorbed in my legs. I've never really had any arm trouble whatsoever.

"And by keeping your legs in shape, that's the main reason that I've been able to have ... consistency — a lot of innings year after year after year. I've never put any real strain on my arm."

Bill Bonham is another Cincinnati pitcher who realizes the importance of being in good physical shape.

"I enjoy working out," he said, "because I have to put everything into my pitching."

The physical aspect of pitching, however, probably isn't as important as the mental side. The simple act of throwing a ball isn't nearly so difficult as having to think about where to throw it.

"All pitching is," said new Cincinnati pitching coach Bill Fischer, "is playing catch with your catcher."

But the job becomes tougher when there's a Dave Parker or a George Foster or a Mike Schmidt standing just in front of the catcher — gripping a bat and hoping to send your best pitch over the fence.

Some pitchers react to that pressure by taking a detached view. Philadelphia's Tug McGraw, for one.

McGraw, of course, has never been accused of taking anything too seriously. He treats life the same way he pitches - lefthanded. For example, he doesn't worry about his arm.



I try to realize I can only do my best. The way I look at it is, if I do my best and don't let emotions overcome me, the reality is, that's all I can do.'

of Pitching



'All pitching is is playing catch with your catcher.'

"I have no trouble with the 12 inches between my elbow and my palm," he said. "It's the seven inches between my ears that's bent."

And McGraw has been known to take a VERY detached view of pressure.

Before making an important pitch, McGraw relaxes by reminding himself that "a million years from now, nobody will care what happens on this pitch."

"I don't see his thinking on that," countered Cincinnati's Doug Bair, one of the top relief pitchers in baseball last season. "I understand what he's saying, but I see no relevance. The really important thing is the matter at hand. For me, everything is blanked out except the situation at hand.

"That's why pitching is mentally tiring. When maybe three of five days, you're in a pressure situation and the whole game rides on that one inning, you're more mentally tired than physically. When I'm not mentally tired after a game, I know I'm not doing the job."

Bair, who had 28 saves and a 1.98 earned run average last season, was tired most of the time.

"I try to approach my job like it's an everyday thing," he said. "That there's a 99 percent chance I'll be going in. The first six innings, I try to stay as calm as possible. I get into the game mentally, but I try to stay low-key.

"Then in the seventh, eighth and ninth innings, I really start thinking about getting loose. That's the physical part. I start to get

keyed up. But if you get keyed up too early, you lose that edge."

Bonham, who admits he had a difficult time handling the mental part of pitching earlier in his career, also believes in not getting overly keyed up.

"I try to realize I can only do my best,"
Bonham said. "The way I look at it is, if I
do my best and don't let emotions overcome
me, the reality is, that's all I can do. The
hard part is to be objective. I have to ask myself, 'Did I get a little nervous?'

"My last year in Chicago (1977) and last year, I was pretty successful (at not being



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nervous). Religion helped. I play for the Lord. I try to do the best I can for Him, who has given me the ability to play.

"Pitching kind of reflects my lifestyle," Bonham said. "I was just being me (in '78). I'm glad I was able to learn that. Now it's just me being me, rather than me against me."

Bonham has learned what most good pitchers learn sooner or later. There isn't much point in fighting yourself when you've got Dave Parker up there fighting you, too — on a steamy afternoon with the game on the line.

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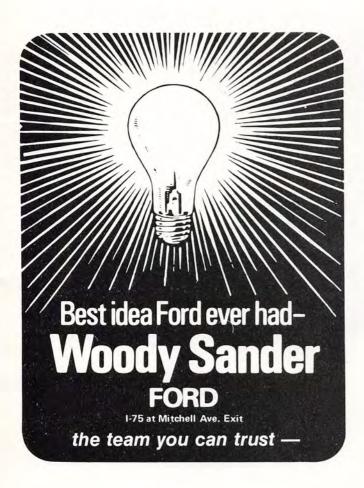
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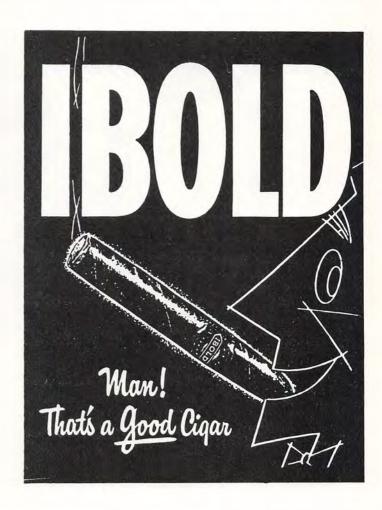
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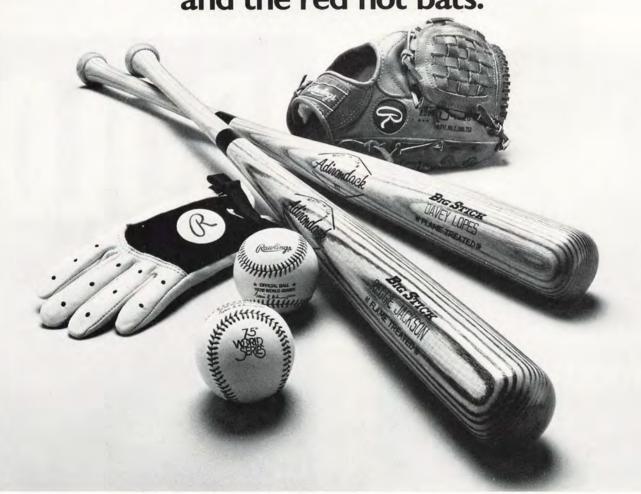






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JAPAN (Continued from page 6)

arm as well as his fielding range impressed at shortstop. Since Joe Morgan stayed home to rest the stomach muscle injury that distressed him through much of the 1978 season, Junior Kennedy usually started at second base and gave a good account of himself. Ray Knight also performed well at third when called upon.

Many of the players brought their wives along. Often, the distaff side of the party, accompanied by a few curiosity-seekers among the non-playing men, took side trips to places like Nikko. Toba and other glamorous spots where nature's wonders were displayed. Nikko required a bus trip up a curvy mountain road for sights of incomparable beauty. Toba, where lovely Japanese girls dive for cultured pearls, provided an additional thrill. On the day the Reds' wives were present, the Crown Princess of Japan and her daughter, accompanied by a retinue of security personnel, made a previously unannounced trip to Toba. Their arrival created incredible excitement among the many hundreds of Japanese tourists, as well as our group. Ours was the only American tour group on the scene.

On another occasion, we shot the rapids down the Hoaugawa River in a flat-bottom boat

And there was sadness when the Reds played a game at Hiroshima and all of us visited Peace Memorial Park where Board Chairman Louis Nippert placed a wreath. Hiroshima is now a thriving industrial community; in 1945, when we were at war, this was where a U.S. B-29 dropped the first atomic bomb, killing many, maiming and disfuguring many, but, thankfully, saving lives on both sides by forcing a quicker end to World War II.

The wives, who seldom travel with their husbands during the season, helped make the trip "more fun." Not only in looks but also in spirit, they were a beautiful group. On trains and buses, they removed the monotony of travel by group singing, often improvising their own words.

Back to the baseball, our players and management personnel felt that there were a number of Japanese players who could have made it in the U.S. majors. Aside from the "aging" Oh, the best appeared to be Giants shortstop Kazumasa Kono, who could "do it all." Pitchers, other infielders and outfielders impressed; but strangely, no catchers. Outfielders would have to be taught that the fundamental principle of throwing to a cutoff man, was not to be applied on every occasion. There are times, of course, when the outfielder does try to cut off the man running to the plate.

In so many ways, this was an unforgettable journey to the Land of the Rising Sun. What helped to make it so, as in the aforementioned quote from a Japanese host, was that the customers were never cheated by a lack of desire by the Reds to give their best.

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 ${f F}$ rom border to border, ocean to ocean, across Canada and throughout Latin America a highly trained team of detectives is on the prowl, looking for its man. No, this is not the CIA or the MIF force from Mission Impossible. Instead, it's Joe Bowen's group of baseball scouts that are always looking for the best prospects for the Cincinnati Reds. "There's no question, baseball scouts are detectives," said Bowen, Cincinnati's Vice-President, Scouting. "A good scout will find out everything there is to know about a young baseball prospect." There are a number of ways the scouts will check up on the players. One is watching them play in games. Another is via a workout. And there's yet another, a tryout camp. The Reds still utilize this tool of scouting. "It's a very important part of scouting," Bowen said. "It gives us a chance to look at a lot of players at one time, comparing their individual talents. Even though most players in the United States come into professional baseball via the draft, there are still some signed out of tryout camps when they are passed over in the draft. Dan Driessen, for instance, came out of a tryout camp. Harry Spilman was signed by the Reds when he wasn't selected in the draft. When Reds scouts search for "their man," they are looking for the baseball player who has speed afoot, strength of arm and power of bat. "The ideal prospect can hit, run and throw," Bowen said. "That is the type of young man our scouts are constantly in

Reds scouting supervisor Gene Bennett (right) registers amateur players at a Reds tryout camp.

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Riverfront Stadium: 10 years of memories

(Continued from page 50) roundtripper. That came in that first

The excitement continued that first year. The 1970 All-Star game was a big hit at Riverfront, with the National League winning in the 12th inning when Pete Rose crashed into Ray Fosse to score the winning run.

The Reds easily won the National League West race and moved into the Championship Series, sweeping the Pirates in three games and clinching the pennant at home in the third game.

Anyone who saw the second game of the 1970 World Series will no doubt remember the controversial play involving Bernie Carbo and homeplate umpire Ken Burkhart. Carbo and the umpire were involved in a collision at home plate as Bernie tried to score. Burkhart ruled out, the Reds lost a run and the game and the fans hooted and howled.

For sheer suddenness, dramatic impact and tremendous importance, Johnny Bench's ninth inning home run in the fifth game of the 1972 Championship Series is probably the biggest moment ever at Riverfront. The Reds trailed by a run in the last at bat, but Bench connected on a two-strike pitch over the right center field wall to tie the score. Then a few moments later George Foster scored on a wild pitch and the Reds had escaped death to win the pennant for the second time in three years from the Pirates.

However, those who were on hand for the July 1 doubleheader against Los Angeles in 1973 might argue the above point. Who can forget that home run Hal King hit off Don Sutton? It literally turned the season around. King's homer came with two outs in the bottom of the ninth and the Reds trailing 3-1. The three-run shot prevented the Dodgers from going 12 games in front, pumped new life into the Reds and propelled them eventually past the Dodgers.

Opening Day in Cincinnati is always a festive and exciting time, but 1974 was even something more special. The world's attention was focused on the Queen City and Riverfront Stadium April 4 that year because the Reds were playing the Atlanta Braves. And it just so happened Hank Aaron was trying to tie

and break Babe Ruth's lifetime home run record.

The capacity crowd was treated to an historic event. On Aaron's first swing in the first inning, he sent a Jack Billingham pitch over the wall in left center and Aaron moved into a tie with The Babe at

World Series games always rank at the top of any list of unforgettable moments and in 1975 and 1976 Cincinnati fans were treated to five World Series games at Riverfront.

Those who saw Game 5 of the 1975 Series won't soon forget the Ed Armbrister - Carlton Fisk collision at home plate after a bunt. The Red Sox claimed interference after Fisk threw the ball into centerfield, but it wasn't allowed and the Reds won the game.

The first Sunday night game in World Series history was played at Riverfront in October of 1976, and that game will be remembered for years, too. The game was tied in the ninth inning when Ken Griffey reached first base on an error. Then Tony Perez followed with a hit, and just like that, Griffey streaked across the plate with the winning run. It happened so suddenly, so quickly.

Riverfront Stadium has often been called the House of Thrills and that reputation remains today. In 1978, Pete Rose collected his 3,000th career hit in the Cincinnati ball park.

Two Presidents have seen games at Riverfront - Richard Nixon at the 1970 All-Star game and Gerald Ford in 1974.

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